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HALF MILLION MEN HAVE BEEN MUSTERED OUT

A Steady Stream of Troops are Moving Homeward

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—A steady stream of troops from overseas and army camps is moving homeward.

With more than one million men designated for demobilization since the signing of the armistice, all efforts, General March, chief of staff said today are being directed toward getting them out of service and back to the work in which they formerly were engaged. Already more than half the number designated have been mustered out.

Meanwhile additional units have been assigned for early convoy home and to expedite the movement fourteen battleships and ten cruisers have been added to the fleet of transports which will bring that part of the expeditionary forces not needed for duty with the army of occupation. Reports tonight from France showed that three more transports, with upwards of 5,000 men had sailed and others will depart for home ports as rapidly as possible. General March said the work of discharging men from camps was proceeding at the rate of about 100,000 a week. General March made public a list of public auxiliary troops attached to the American third army, the army of occupation including the following complete regiments:

Three hundred and one, 308th and 310th engineers and the 1st, 51st, 54th and 56th pioneer infantry.

In reply to a question General March said that no additional troops had been ordered to Russia and that the war department had no information that the French army had taken over a portion of the sector on the Rhine assigned to the American forces. He said also that nothing had reached the department to show the total strength of the allied and American forces in the armies of occupation.

MANY MORE TROOPS LEAVE FRENCH SHORES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The departure from France of three transports with more than five thousand troops, including wounded and casuals, was announced tonight by the war department. The transport Matsonia sailed December 23 and should reach New York Jan. 3 with the 144th field artillery and four batteries of the 143rd field artillery both of the 40th division and a number of sick and wounded and casuals. The Northern Pacific sailing Christmas day is due in New York Jan. 2 with a large number of sick and wounded and casuals and the eighth trench mortar battery of the eighth division.

The Pocahontas, sailing Dec. 24, is due at Newport News January 5 with the 338th field artillery of the 88th division and the 126th field artillery of the 34th division and sick and wounded and casuals.

BASEBALL HEADS IN CONFERENCE

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Plans for closer relations between the major and minor leagues were discussed at a conference today attended by President Ban Johnson of the American League, Thomas J. Hickey, president of the American Association and A. R. Tearney of Chicago, chairman of a committee representing the national association of minor leagues.

President Hickey presented a draft of proposed amendments to the national agreement under which major and minor leagues operate, but none of te conferees would discuss the issues at this time.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

Illinois:—Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday, probably light snow flurries; warmer Monday.

Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Saturday were:

	7 p. m.	High	Low.
Jacksonville, Ill..	23	26	21
Boston	26	30	24
Buffalo	26	28	24
New York	28	34	26
New Orleans	44	50	28
Chicago	23	27	25
Detroit	26	30	22
Omaha	34	38	18
Minneapolis	24	26	14
Helena	40	44	28
San Francisco ...	54	56	42
Winnipeg	20	24	8
Jacksonville, Fla..	44	50	40

Weather predictions for the week beginning Monday, issued by the weather bureau today are:

Region of the Great Lakes: Occasional showers, probably first half of week; generally fair second half. No decided temperature changes.

Upper Mississippi and Lower Mississippi Valleys: Some prospect of snow early in the week with temperatures slightly above normal in Mississippi valley; generally fair the remainder of the week with nearly normal temperature.

Proposal to Form New Labor Party Rejected

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—The executive council of the American Federation of Labor at a special session here today rejected a proposal calling for the formation of a national labor party, but voted to send delegates to the international labor conference to be held at Versailles next month.

Samuel Gompers, president of the federation in a formal announcement after the meeting said the council considered it is not the province of the central bodies and state federations to form or become part of a national labor party, as the best interest of labor would be served "by the more thoro organization of the workmers, skilled and unskilled in the trades union movement."

He added there was no objection to central or state organizations entering the political fields either independently on otherwise.

Mr. Gompers announced the selection of the following delegates to the international labor conference:

Mr. Gompers; James Duncan, president of the Granite Cutters' International association of America; John R. Alpine, president of the United Association of Plumbers and Fitters; Frank Duffy, secretary of the United rBotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners of America, and William Green, secretary and treasurer of the United Mine Workers of America.

CONFERENCES WERE VERY SUCCESSFUL

Between President Wilson And Lloyd-George—Most Cordial Harmony of Ideals Found to Exist.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—Conferences between President Wilson, Premier Lloyd-George and other members of the British cabinet yesterday were extremely successful, according to the Mail, which says that the most cordial harmony of ideals was found to exist, with the happiest augury for the future relations of the United States and Great Britain."

The premier rarely has been so enthusiastic over the results of any conferences the newspaper continues. It states that the first session of the peace conference at Paris will begin next week or on the Monday following.

President Wilson cordially assured all the statesman who met for the conference of the gratitude of himself and wife over the reception on Thursday at Dover, during the journey to London, and in this city. He said they had expected a fine reception, the Mail says not essentially for themselves but for all America, but they were not prepared for an ovation of such magnitude as was given them.

When Mr. Wilson reached the palace last evening he was in conspicously good spirits without the slightest trace of fatigue. Those nearest him who were trained observers on his moods, according to the Mail are "convinced the president had a fruitful and satisfactory day." They believe it unquestionably laid the foundation for Anglo-American entente cordiale on all vital subjects at issue.

"The conferences were conducted in that heart-to-heart atmosphere which the president is trying to find in the capitals of Europe as best designed to enable him to give a calm and cogent exposition of his views on cardinal issues," the newspaper says. A member of Mr. Wilson's party remarked, "Mr. Wilson encountered a good deal of the white house environment in Downing street and so felt very much at home."

HAND TO HAND FIGHTING

Odessa, Wednesday, Dec. 18.—(By The Associated Press.)—Since daylight today there has been hand to hand fighting by the opposing Russian forces which with a French contingent which landed from transports has taken part.

PILOT INJURED

New York, Dec. 28.—Lyman W. Dotty of Biggs, Cal., a pilot in the New York-Washington aerial mail service, was seriously injured today in a landing at Belmont Park when engine trouble forced him to abandon a flight to the capital.

AVIATOR MEETS DEATH

Fort Worth, Texas, Dec. 28.—Sergeant F. B. Haskell of Sagamore Hill, Mass., was killed and James F. Moore, flight instructor of Barron Field here was severely injured here in an aeroplane accident in Kimball county, many miles from a railroad, it was learned here today.

CONDITION OF BANKS

New York, Dec. 28.—The actual condition of clearing houses and trust companies for the week (five days) shows that they hold $42,804,340 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of $16,887,410 from last week.

BROWNS' MANAGER SIGNS.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Dec. 28.—James T. (Jimmy) Burke today signed a contract to manage the St. Louis American team again next year. He was appointed manager last season after the resignation of Fielder Jones.

AMERICA MUST CONTINUE TO SEND BELGIANS FOOD

Says Hoover in Report To Relief Commission

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28—Four years of German oppression brought no loss of life from starvation to the populations of Belgium and Northern France and the under-nourishment resulting from enemy occupation can be stamped out if America continues to send food. This report from Herbert Hoover, chairman of the commission for relief in Belgium based on a survey of the occupied teritories of Western Europe, was made public tonight at the commission's headquarters here. The survival of the peoples of Belgium and Northern France while a quarter of the populations of other German-occupied lands died of famine, was ascribed by Mr. Hoover to the work of the commission which, for four years poured food across belligerent lines sufficient to keep men, women and children above the margin of starvation. The gratitude of these people to the United States, Mr. Hoover reported is unbounded and embarrassing. They no longer need or desire to get food thru charity but owing to the sysstematic destruction of their textile industries they must still depend to a considerable extent upon the United States for clothing.

Prices High.

To it is now posible Mr Hoover found, to buy almost any kind of food in Belgium the prices precludе the purchase except by the wealthy. Meat, according to the report, is $2 a pound, eggs $1 each, and butter $2.50 per pound. These prices contrast with an average income for more than one half the population of less than $1 a week per family. The food administration established by the Belgian government the report adds is taking care of this situation as rapidly as possible.

The most cheering factor in the situation is the condition of the two million Belgian children who have been the object of the utmost solicitude of the whole world during the four years of occupation.

Prior to the German evacuation, Mr Hoover stated, approximately 3,500,000 people were destitute and dependent. Thru the energy of the people in getting back to work this number he said, had been reduced to 2,000,000 and within a month it was expected to be decreased to not more than 1,000,000.

"My survey of the rest of Europe, the Balkan states and Poland," Mr. Hoover said, "is not complete but sufficient evidence is at hand to show that before next harvest, relief of an unprecedented character must be extended if the remaining population is to be maintained in any semblance of health."

ORDER KNITTERS TO CEASE WORK

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—America's army of women knitters who did not cease work with the signing of the armistice, today were ordered by the Red Cross to "stack needles" their task accomplished.

An inventory of articles in reserve shows sufficient on hand to meet the needs of the fighting men in this country and abroad and of Red Cross relief commissions. Knitted articles now in the making will be finished and turned into the 854 Red Cross Chapters, which will issue no more yarn.

More than 10,000,000 sweaters, socks, mufflers, helmets and wristles were turned out in the 17 months preceding the over throw of the central powers. Virtually every man in the army was given woolen accessories.

RED CROSS SUPPLIES TO RUSSIA

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 28.—More than 8,000 tons of Red Cross supplies have been shipped to Vladivostok since September 15th, it was announced at the bureau of transportation Pacific division here. The shipments are gifts to soldiers and civilians in Siberia.

INFLUENZA ON THE DECLINE

Washington, Dec. 28.—Influenza is again definitely on the decline in army camps. A detailed report on health conditions of troops in the United States issued by the surgeon-general's office did not show a single case in several of the larger camps for the week ending Dec. 29.

ASKS WILSON TO TAKE A HAND

Rome, Dec. 28.—Monsignor Cerretti, the papal under-secretary of state asked President Wilson to mediate "with a view to settling the vatican situation" during their interview in Paris, according to newspapers here.

He also submitted to Mr. Wilson documents justifying the vatican's attitude of neutrality during the war.

Premier Lloyd George Receives Newspapermen

LONDON, Dec. 28.—Premier Lloyd George in receiving newspaper correspondents at his residence at seven o'clock tonight said that the conferences with the president had brought about an agreement on general principles. The premier said he felt assured that matters which had been agreed upon between American and England would prove of the greatest assistance in the work of the peace congress.

The newspapermen were received after a long conference the premier and Secretary Balfour had with President Wilson this afternoon and will be continued at the premier's dinner to the president at his official residence in Downing Street. Details of the general plans discussed this afternoon will be further considered at the dinner.

The premier said that owing to the elections, it had not been possible as yet to organize the British delegation to the peace congress but he would proceed immediately now that the result was known to take up the matter with his colleagues. At the present time, he added, it could be stated that only two members of the delegation had been selected definitely—meaning himself and Foreign Secretary Balfour.

Touching on the report coming from the United States that Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, would be one of the delegates, the premier pointed out that it was impossible, as the chancellor was the government leader in the house of commons and his presence would be needed at home.

SENATOR JONES TAKES AN AIRPLANE RIDE

MINEOLA, N. Y., Dec. 28.—Senator Jones of Washington, completed at 3 o'clock this afternoon an airplane flight from the national capital in company with Lieut. Logg, an army aviator. The senator will fly back to Washington on Monday.

The flight, at an average speed of 120 miles an hour against head winds nearly all the way was made in three and a half hours, with a stop at Philadelphia to take on gasoline. At times Senator Jones said the airplane reached an altitude of 3,000 feet where the temperature was as low as 15 degrees above zero.

FIRST PRISONERS REACH OMSK

Washington, Dec. 28.—Official advices to the state department today say the first contingent of Russian prisoners of war reached Omsk and Chilabinsk on their way from Germany and Austria are in a pitiable condition because of lack of clothing and shoes. Forty thousand according to estimates, are endeavoring to return to Siberia, and of these 15,000 have unsufficient clothing. Seven thousand are reported in Samara without shoes.

The American Red Cross at Chilabinsk is rendering all the assistance possible.

NATIONAL ORGANIZATION OF NORMAL SCHOOLS

New York, Dec. 28.—A national organization of normal schools for physical training was perfected here today at a meeting of officials of these institutions from nine statements. Universal physical education as a state and national obligation was favored. Dr. Ward C. Crampton, of the Battle Creek Normal Physical Training school was elected president.

SERVICE WILL BE RESUMED SUNDAY

PARIS, Friday, Dec. 27.—Thru train service between Paris and Brussels which was stopped by the outbreak of the war in 1914, will be resumed Sunday.

FUTURE OF CHEMICAL WARFARE DISCUSSED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The future of the Chemical warfare branch of the army was discussed today at a conference of senate military committee members with officials of the war department. All of the gas on hand which was manufactured for use against the enemy the senators were told will be kept with precautions against explosions until actual signature of the peace treaty.

DECLINES TO SERVE

Indianapolis, Dec. 27.—Paul P. Haynes, member of the Indiana public service commission has decided to serve as a member of the national federal committee on standardization of telephone rates.

WILSON CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

LONDON, Dec. 28.—King George called at President Wilson's apartment at 10 o'clock this morning to wish him many happy returns of the day. It was President Wilson's birthday, his sixty-second.

QUICK ACTION WANTED.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—To expedite passage of a bill validating informal contracts for war supplies, the house rules committee today voted to report a rule on January 2nd, giving the measure a privileged status for immediate consideration.

President Will Visit Girlhood Home of Mother

CARLISLE, Eng., Dec. 28.—This bustling railway center was busy today preparing to welcome President Wilson when he comes tomorrow to visit the girlhood home here of his mother. Here and there the stars and stripes hang in the smoke-laden atmosphere and an occasional merchant is decorating his shop window with tri-color ribbons.

After viewing the records of his family at the crown and Mitre the president will receive a call from Thomas Watson, an aged house painter who attended the school kept by the Rev. Woodrow the president's grandfather. The Rev. Edward Booth, pastor of the Lowther Street Congregational Church, received a message from London this afternoon stating the president would attend services Sunday. As the physicians attending the Rev. Mr. Booth say he will be able to preach tomorrow, he will conduct the service.

The room where President Wilson's grandfather conducted school is now used as a dining room. It extends the depth of the house with big windows at each end, one opening on the garden, which was once the school playground. Mr. Sayre is unable to identify the room which the president's mother occupied.

President Wilson is expected to arrive at the house at 11 o'clock Sunday morning and from there will go to the Lowther Street church nearby.

INFORMAL TEA FOR MRS. WILSON

LONDON, Dec. 28.—An event not on the prepared program was a tea given at five o'clock this afternoon by Mrs. Lloyd George in honor of Mrs. Wilson, at which the president was present.

The tea was arranged informally by telephone, the premier's wife inviting the wives of the heads of government departments to meet Mrs. Wilson. Tea was served in the "big" drawing room. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson arrived shortly before five o'clock and returned to Buckingham Palace a half hour later.

Premier Lloyd George, the Earl of Reading and Chancellor Bonar Law also were present.

BATTLESHIPS WILL BRING YANKS HOME

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Fourteen battleships and ten cruisers have been assigned by the navy department to help bring American troops home from France. The work of altering the battleships to fit them for transport work is being rapidly completed, and several of them already are in service. All of the ten cruisers have been fitted up and the navy department announced today that one had sailed from Brest with its first load of troops. Another is at Brest and two of the battleships are reported to have left Brest with troops.

The battleships assigned for this service are among the older on the navy list and in order that they may bring as many soldiers as possible are operating with far less complement than usual.

SOCCER GAME

St. Louis, Dec. 28.—The Bethlehem Steel company soccer team, national champions, defeated the Innisfails, leading team of the St. Louis Soccer League this afternoon 3 to 0.

ILLINOIAN HIGH AMONG TRAP SHOOTERS

New York, Dec. 28.—F. M. Troeh of Vancouver and Homer Clark of Alton, Ill., are respectively high average amateur and professional trapshooters for 1918 according to the official figures of the Interstate Assocation. Troeh broke 6,655 targets out of 6,845 for an average of .9722, while Clark shattered 3,228 out of 3,310, giving him an average of .9752 for the season.

FAIR GROUNDS BURNS

New Orleans, La., Dec. 28.—The grandstand, club house and paddock at the Fair Grounds Race Track here owned by the Business Men's Racing Association were destroyed by fire today.

The stables and training quarters containing several hundred horses were saved. The loss was estimated at more than 200,000.

WILL RELINQUISH CONTROL.

Paris, Dec. 28.—Havas—Victor Boret, the food minister declared today in an interview that the government had decided to relinquish its war time control of commerce with the exception of such restrictions as it considered necessary to the national safety.

LEAVES LARGE ESTATE

Chicago, Dec. 28.—A. Stanford White late president of the Chicago Board of Trade, subscribed for $162,900 in liberty bonds, an inventory of his estate filed in probate court here today revealed.

The estate consisting of $1,178,501 in stocks, bonds and notes and other personal property and $400,000 in real estate, was left in trust for the benefit of his widow, son and daughter.

FUTURE MUST PRODUCE POWER TO KEEP PEACE

Says Wilson in Speech To British Statesmen

LONDON, Dec. 28.—Speaking today in the historic Guild Hall at a ceremonious gathering of Great Britain's most distinguished statesmen, President Wilson re-affirmed his principle that there must no longer be a balance of power which might unsettle the peace of the world but that the future must produce a concert of power which would preserve it.

The president's reception at the Guild Hall was so spontaneous and hearty that it carried an unmistakable note of friendship and admiration. When he arose to speak there was a prolonged outburst of hand clapping and cheering and his talk was frequently punctuated by applause. At the conclusion of his address the audience rose with one accord and cheered, and it kept up the applause and cheering as he passed out.

Given Great Ovation.

The president was given a notable ovation on rising to begin his speech and some of the points that won renewed applause were his tribute to the armies of the associated governments and his declaration that people thruout the world wanted peace and wanted it immediately—not, however, by conquest, but by agreement of mind.

The distinguished government and other officials received by the lord mayor before the president's arrival included Premier Lloyd George, Field Marshal Haig, Foreign Secretary Balfour, Admiral Sims, Former Premier Asquith, Andrew Bonar Law, the chancellor of the exchequer, and the ambassadors of the principal allied governments.

After President Wilson's arrival all were grouped on the dais, the lord mayor in the center and President Wilson on his right, next to the duke of Connaught.

American Airs Played.

The royal artillery band in the gallery played American airs, ushering President Wilson in with the "Star Spangled Banner."

In the course of his speech the president declared the soldiers fought to do away with the old order and establish a new one. The old order, he said, had for its center, the "unstable thing" called the balance of power, determined by competitive interests, "jealous watchfulness" and an "antagonism of interests."

The men who have fought the war, he said, have been made from free nations who were determined that this sort of thing should end now and forever.

Wilson's Address.

LONDON, Dec. 28.—In his speech this afternoon at the lord mayor's luncheon and mansion house, President Wilson said:

"Mr. Lord Mayor, your royal highness, your grace, ladies and gentlemen:

"You have again made me feel sir, the very wonderful and generous welcome of this city and you have reminded me of what has perhaps become one of the habits of my life.

"You have said that I have broken all precedents in coming across the ocean to join in the councils of the peace conference but I think those who have been associated with me in Washington will testify that that is nothing surprising. I said to the members of the press in Washington one evening that one of the things that had interested me most since I lived in Washington was that every time I did anything perfectly natural it was said to be unprecedented.

Precedents Broke.

"It was perfectly natural to break this precedent, natural because the demand for intimate conference took precedence over every other duty. And after all the breaking of precedents, tho this may sound strange doctrine in England is the most sensible thing to do. The harness of precedent is sometimes a very sad and harassing trammel.

"In this case the breaking of precedent is sensible for a reason that is very prettily illustrated in a remark attributed to Charles Lamb. One evening, in a company of his friends they were discussing a person who was not present and Lamb said, in his hesitating manner: 'I-I hate that fellow.' 'Why Charles,' one of his friends said, 'I did not know that you knew him.' 'Oh,' he said, 'I-I-I, I don't, I can't hate a man I know.'

"And perhaps that simple and attractive remark may furnish a secret for cordial international relationship. When we know one another we cannot hate one another.

Pleased With Reception.

"I have been very much interested before coming here to see what sort of a person I was expected to be. So far as I can make out I was expected to be a perfectly bloodless thinking machine, whereas I am perfectly aware that I have in me all the valley,

Sentiment In Peace Congress Looks Bright

PARIS, Dec. 28.—Sentiment today in peace congress circles after another week of conferences is distinctly brighter and a spirit of optimism has taken the place of the pessimism which had prevailed in some quarters. This is due to private advices from London showing that the political exchanges now going on there have been equally as satisfactory as the public demonstrations.

One of the primary questions considered at these exchanges has been the convening of the conference at as early a date as possible

The American delegation has been quite insistent that it shall begin not later than January 9th. The exchanges today indicated an agreement for the assembly of the congress between January 9 and 14.

Even the latter date would be acceptable to the Americans it is announced as assuring a reasonably early opening of the discussions.

The pessimism previously existing in some quarters was due to the various views held on "fourteen points" but the president's statement that the allied leaders agree with him in the principles therein laid down has largely removed the first impressions.

A meeting was held in Colonel Edward M. House's residence tonight of all the American interests including food and shipping, the army, navy, treasury and war boards. Thus far Herbert C. Hoover, Edward N. Hurley and the other heads of the various branches have proceeded independently but the meeting tonight foreshadows a united commission.

ATTORNEYS ELECT OFFICERS AND ADJOURN

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—State's Attorneys of Illinois counties returned to their bailiwicks today having finished their annual meeting her by election of officers and selections of Chicago as the meeting place for next year. These officers were elected:

President—J. L. Deck, Decatur.

Vice President—F. L. Mortimer, Springfield.

Second Vice President—A. L. Hainline, Macomb.

Secretary - Treasurer — T. E. Lauder, Monmouth.

The banquet of the Illinois State's Atorney's Association was held last night with Justice Orrin R. Carter of the state supreme court as principal speaker. He advocated a shorter ballot, appointment of ministerial officials and election of delegates to the constitutional convention.

GERMANS DELIVER FIFTY AIRPLANES

COBLENZ, Dec. 28.—(By the Associated Press.)—Sixty airplanes of the Fokker type arrived in Coblenz today by special train from Berlin. They were the first of 200 airplanes which are to be turned over to the American forces in Coblenz in accordance with the armistice.

Each machine occupied a flat car and a German soldier guarded each car. A number of German aviators also arrived to try out one out of each twenty machines before the planes were turned over to the American commission. The planes for the test will be selected by the Americans and the Germans will make the flights to show that the machines are in good condition. The flights will take place near Coblenz in the presence of American officers.

CAPTURED WAR MATERIAL WILL BE BROUGHT HOME

Washington, Dec. 28.—All war material captured by the American army will be brought home, Secretary Baker said today to be disposed of as congress may direct. The equipment includes more than 1,400 guns and trench mortars taken in action and thousands of machine guns and rifles.

insurgent elements of the human race. I am sometimes, by reason of long Scotch tradition able to keep these instincts in restraint. The stern covenanter tradition that is behind me sends many an echo down the years. It is not only diligently to pursue business but also to seek this sort of comradeship, that I feel it is a privilege to have come across the seas and, in the welcome that you have accorded Mrs. Wilson and me, you have made us feel that companionship was accessible to us in the most delightful and enjoyable form.

"I thank you sincerely for this welcome, sir, and am very happy to join in a love feast which is all the more enjoyable because there is behind it a background of tragical suffering. Our spirits are released from the darkness of the clouds that at one time seemed to have settled upon the world that could not be dispersed the sufferings of your own people, the suffering of the people of France and the infinite suffering of the people of Belgium. The whisper of grief that has been blown about thru the world is now silent and the sun of hope seems to spread its rays and to change the earth with a new prospect of happiness. So, our joy is all the more elevated because we know that our spirits are now lifted out of that

LLOYD-GEORGE FOLLOWERS W... GREAT VICTOR

Coalition Governme... Will Have 500 Sea... In Parliament

LONDON, DEC. 28.—(By ... Associated Press)—The br... features of the election results ... nounced today are the sweep... triumph of the Lloyd George ... alition, the complete rout of ... Asquithians, the pacifists and ... women candidates, and, perh... most significant of all, the victo... of the Sinn Feiners all along ... line.

That the coalition governm... would be victorious had bee... foregone conclusion despite ... rumblings of rumor between ... polling and the counting of ... votes that labor would make ... unexpected showing. But th... David Lloyd George would co... mand completely an overwhel... ing majority in the new house ... the proportion of almost five ... one had never been contemplat... even by the most sanguine coa... tionists. And since coalition, ... it now operates, is distinctly m... conservative than liberal in ... composition and tendencies, t... result of the first election und... the extended franchise and wi... the participation of millions ... women voters is most suggestiv...

Premier Lloyd George with o... ly four results yet to be announ... ed has 519 seats for his coalitio... out of a membership of 707. T... Sinn Feinners have elected seve... ty members, and labor approx... mately 75.

One Woman Elected

Of fourteen women candidat... only one will be entitled to sit ... the house of commons, namely ... Sinn Feinner, Countess Markie... icz, who was elected for St. Pa... rick's division of Dublin City. Bu... as the Sinn Feiners refuse to s... at Westminster the house of com... mons will, as hitherto, be compos... ed entirely of males.

All the other women candidates ... including many of the foremost ... the women's movements, were re... jected by their constituencies ... Christabel Pankhurst came ... nearest of these to being elec... being defeated only by a nar... majority by a Laborite.

The Sinn Feiners, as expect... not only swept Ireland, but gain... their seats with enormous major... ities leaving the Nationalists re... presentations in the new parli... ment a bare seven members. Joh... Dillon, the Nationalist leader wa... defeated by E. de Valera, Sin... Feiner, for East Mayo by a m... jority of over 4,000. Joseph ... Devlin, however, defeated de Va... lera for the West Belfast seat.

All Ministers Win

Not only has no coalition mi... ister been defeated but most o... them were re-elected by extra-or... dinary majorities. For instance ... Premier Lloyd George's majority ... is about 12,000; Winston Church... ill's 15,000 and Andrew Bonar ... Law's 13,000.

Majorities well over ten thou... sand were quite common among ... coalitionists. On the other hand ... the pacifists were almost in every ... case ignominiously defeated by ... heavy votes. The rejected candi... dates in this group included Philip ... Snoden, James Ramsay MacDon... ald, William C. Anderson, Arthur ... Henderson, the labor leaders; ... George Lansbury and Charles P. ... Trevlyan, former parliamentary ... secretary for education. Among ... the surprises of the election was ... the defeat of Herbert H. Asquith, ... the former premier. He is re... jected in company with most of ... his ablest lieutenants, including ... Sir John Simon, former home sec... retary; Reginald McKenna, for... mer chancellor of the exchequer ... and others.

Labor fared badly in the elec... tions, tho better than the asquith... ians. They had expected to elect ... at least one hundred members, ... whereas they have only approxi... mately seventy-five of whom ten ... are coalitionists. Even this, how... ever, is a much large representa... tion than labor had in the old ... parliament.

BRITISH WILL AID IN TRANSPORTING TROOPS

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—The British government will be able to transport to the United States between 30,000 and 40,000 American troops in vessels under the English flag during January, it was announced here today by T. Ashley Sparks, director general of the British ministry of shipping, on authority of a cablegram from the shipping controller in London. It was further announced that in addition to the Mauretania, due here tomorrow on her second voyage with 5,000 American soldiers, since the armistice was signed, fourteen British steamships with a total troop capacity of 32,000 have been offered to the United States government and will be ready to leave British ports ... Brest as may be designated be... tween now and January 10.

LONG RANGE GUN IN RUINS

COBLENZ, Friday, Dec. 27.—(... the Associated Press.)—D... mbered and with its war-wo... parts already beginning to rus... the big Bertha which startled t... world by its long range fire u... Paris last spring, has been left ... its fate in an old German ar... lery yard in West Prussia.

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The proposal of Secretary Lane to open up for settlement about 300,000 acres of land has not created a vast amount of enthusiasm. Mr. Lane's suggestion was that these lands would be worth while in making provision for returning soldiers and in further increasing interest in the "back to the land" movement. No doubt one reason for this seeming lack of enthusiasm is the general impression that most of the U. S. lands now idle either claks in fertility or will require vast systems of drainage to make them usable.

A story has come from overseas of the death of a lieutenant in the U. S. army caused by exposure. This soldier did not suffer death because he was not properly cared for by his government but because the plight of soldiers and officers returning from German prison camps so appealed to him that he gave away clothing he should have worn himself. It is a noble record this lieutenant left—one in which his sorrowing relatives can always take pride, and that spirit of bravery and self-sacrifice should be a source of inspiration to many in the coming years. The lieutenant has not died in vain.

REUBLICAN WOMEN

Chairman Hayes of the national Republican committee evidently realizes how important a part the women of the country now play in national party affairs. With the right to vote on presidential candidates accorded the women in so many states and with the great likelihood of full suffrage in the not distant future, women will have much to do with party national affairs. Chairman Hayes has named Mrs. Medill McCormick of this state chairman of the Republican women's national executive committee. The choice is fortunate because Mrs. McCormick has had some years of experience in political affairs, is thoroly posted and furthermore, has political inheritance from her father, the late Mark Hanna, one of the most successful leaders that the Republican party has known in the last two or three decades.

MUST PAY THE PENALTY.

The men who should have been in military service but by one means or another escaped—that is, the slacker—who has been congratulating himself that the war is over and likewise his troubles, is doomed to disappointment. It has just been announced that the government will spare no means to convict and punish those who have been disloyal in their efforts to escape military duty. Secret service men will be busy and will keep hot on the trail of every slacker until the richly deserved punishment has been meted out. This course is not only due to the men who entered the service and met its demands with such fine spirit, but is necessary also in order to preserve the dignity of the nation and to continue respect for law.

THE WHEAT QUESTION

The government's campaign for a greater wheat acreage was so effective that the largest acreage ever known was planted. It was the publicity campaign which did the work, together with the guaranty of a good price. Now that the war is over and the wheat of other countries has been released, the government will have a surplus of the crop and faces an expense which is estimated in advance as something like $500,000,000.

This can be charged up as a war cost. It is proposed that the food corporation shall buy up all the wheat at the guaranteed price and then sell it at the market price or else farmers will sell on the market price and have the difference between that and the government price paid to them by the government. One of these methods must be followed so that high priced flour and its products will not continue thru another year. It makes little difference to the farmer which method is followed for the guaranty is to be made good and he will get "his."

IS AN ASTUTE OFFICE HOLDER.

Coroner Peter Hoffman of Cook county has always been something of a political mystery to the people down state. Year after year thru changing administrations and party upheavals he has continued to hold his post, but recently the coroner has been having his troubles and there have been complaints about the conduct of his office. But something of his astuteness is indicated by his suggestion that a committee of prominent Chicagoans, representing different factions, shall be appointed to investigate the affairs of his office and make suggestions. He also intends to go before the legislature and ask for a law which will remedy some of the things complained of.

The importance of his office is indicated by the record, which shows that during the past year 4033 inquests were held.

Rippling Rhyms
By Walt Mason

The Epidemic.

The flu is dying out, but let us not despair—we still may have the gout, and falling of the hair. The flu had quite a run, for weeks 'twas all the rage; but now its course is done, it toddles from the stage. I know it's hard to part with such a charming pest; but cheer up, craven heart, don't flutter in my breast! It's vain to weep because one popular disease from public view withdraws, and people cease to sneeze. The sons heroic scorns such weaklings as may droop; we still may have our corns, our measles, mumps and croup. For potions and for pills we still may go in debt; the good old standard ills, thank Pete, are with us yet. There's no excuse for health, no pardon for the blues, since we have such a wealth of ills from which to choose. Cry out no vain alacks, and shed no briny seas, but read your almanacs, and pick some choice disease. Friend after friend departs, and now the flu retires; but why have aching hearts, why twang sepulchral lyres? For there's a balm beneath the star bespangled vault; we still have aching teeth, and rheum described as salt.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

December 29, 1864—Eleventh annual meeting of the Illinois State Teachers' association in session at Monmouth, Ill.

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WINCHESTER

Winchester, Dec. 28.—C. W. Dawson returned Saturday to his home in Roodhouse after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woodall south of town.

Misses Mildred and Macyle King left Saturday for Roodhouse to visit their aunt, Mrs. Joe S. Smith.

W. C. Cowper was reported on the sick list Saturday.

Miss Mildred Burns and Miss Margaret Coultas returned Saturday night to Camp Grant, Rockford, where they will resume their work in the nurses' training school.

Anton Obeymeyer of Chicago is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Obermeyer.

The schools will open here Monday after being closed for about six weeks.

Mrs. John Coe is confined to her home by illness.

Earl Nelson was able to be out Saturday after a severe attack of influenza.

Miss Vivian Sibert who arrived home from Chicago a few days ago to enjoy the Christmas holidays, is now quite ill with influenza.

Mrs. James Dodson returned home Saturday from White Hall where she has been visiting relatives.

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PAUL REID HOME

Paul Reid, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Reid of Ebenezer neighborhood, has been honorably discharged from the army and is again at the home of his parents. He went from Jacksonville to Camp Taylor some months ago and was subsequently at Camp Merritt, N. J., and Camp Lee, Va., and received his discharge at Camp Grant.

HARD COAL
Buckwheat size suitable for base burner use.
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Armstrong's 15th Annual Grab Sale of holiday goods, toilets, stationery, etc., 25c a grab, now in full swing at S. W. Corner Square. Don't miss it!

COURTESY TO RETURNING SOLDIERS

Miller Weir, chairman of the Morgan county local board, who has been designated by the Red Cross organization as chairman of the Home Coming committee for soldiers, returned last night from a business visit in Quincy. While there Mr. Weir was much impressed with the way Quincy people are according honors and recognition to returning soldiers.

They some weeks ago established a hostess house where all soldiers who come to the city are expected to register and to make the rooms their general headquarters. The soldiers can meet friends there and find writing materials or other conveniences at their disposal. On Christmas day a tree was given in honor of the soldiers. There was a community sing and then came a dance in the court house. Committees of women were there to serve as chaperones and the whole affair was conducted very much along the line of the hostess houses at army cantonments.

At Hannibal Mr. Weir noted that Canteen Girls came thru the train to serve lunches to all men in army uniform. What is true of Quincy and Hannibal is true of other cities, and mention has already been made of the hospitality which is being extended by Bloomington and Springfield citizens to returning soldiers, together with something of the plans of these cities for big home-coming demonstrations later on.

Certainly there should be no lack of interest in this matter here in Jacksonville, and either the Canteen Girls or some organization of women should take it up at once and with any desired assistance from the men of the community, make the necessary arrangements for cordially receiving every soldier who comes to the city. Seemingly the most feasible place for a hostess house here is at the Y. M. C. A. building and no doubt the authorities there would be glad to provide the facilities, if the necessary committees would attend to registration and arrange for the various courtesies to be extended to the soldiers.

This is a fitting place because by this means the Y. M. C. A. building would really become a "hut" and the service accorded would be of a kind with which the men returning from the battle front and from cantonments would be familiar. It would be entirely appropriate also to have a hostess house established at the K. C. hall on East State street, where the room arrangements and facilities are especially adapted for such a purpose. What has been said of the Y. M. C. A. building also applies to the K. C. lodge rooms for the men in the army have become accustomed to the ministrations and facilities accorded by both of these organizations.

With a cordial welcome awaiting soldiers at these two buildnigs and with the other arrangements which would naturally come as hostess committees served, returning soldiers here would be accorded the courtesy that is due them. This is a matter which should have immediate attention.

MORE MONEY FOR WAR ORPHAN FUND

Other Organizations Expected to Join in Work Since Health Situation Has Improved—$268 From Christmas Tree Collections.

Mrs. W. T. Scott, who is Morgan county chairman for the French Orphan fund movement, was pleased to receive a report yesterday from Mrs. Arthur Seymour of Murrayville, showing that four more war orphans had been taken by the people of that precinct. Of this number three have ben taken by the Woman's Council of National Defense and the faurth by the Methodist Sunday school. With Mrs. Seymour's letter came a check for $148.

Mrs. Scott has also been advised by Mrs. Daniel Gallagher of Franklin precinct that the members of the W. C. N. D. of Hurricane Neck had pledged to take care of one of the orphans for a two year period. Now that health restrictions are removed, reports are expected from a number of organizations which have been unable up to this time to hold meetings. It is known that a number of these organizations and societies have informally planned to join in the good movement, but it has not been possible to take formal action or to make the necessary pledges.

The amount of funds secured from the Christmas tree program in Jacksonville was $268, a record which Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Lacey and their assistants feel is quite in accord with the generous Christmas spirit of Jacksonville shoppers and those from the surrounding territory who while in the city contributed to the fund.

Johnston Freeze Proof at Brady Bros.

MET IN FRENCH CITY

T. C. Hill of Decatur was in Jacksonville yesterday making a short viist with his brother, John R. Hill, and left in the afternoon for Franklin, to visit his mother. Mr. Hill while here told Mayor Rodgers about his meeting with Rev. W. E. Spoonts in Bordeaux, France. On the street one day Mr. Hill in conversation with a number of Y. M. C. A. men and soldiers said something about Jacksonville. "What do you know about that city?" asked a man in the group who heard the remark, and it developed that the questioner was Dr. Spoonts. Then the two men had a very enjoyable half hour talking about the people in this locality mutually known to them.

DANCE
Monday night, Degen's Hall, four piece orchestra. By Elite Social Club.

GRACE CHURCH SUNDAY SCHOOL

No Sunday school Dec. 29. Teachers and officers of the school are asked to attend a workers' conference at 9:45 Sunday morning. All are expected to be present.

Thomas Hopper, Supt.

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Buckwheat size suitable for base burner use.
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ENSIGN ROWE TO RETURN

F[illegible] Rowe is expected [illegible] New York, where he [illegible] on in the service of the navy for a number of months past. He recently received his honorable discharge but will remain on the reserve list.

PUBLIC SALE

Two miles west of Murrayville, Thursday January 2nd, 1918. Horses, cattle, hogs and grain.

W. E. HARNEY.

Armstrong's 15th Annual Grab Sale of holiday goods, toilets, stationery, etc., 25c a grab, now in full swing at S. W. Corner Square. Don't miss it!

JOHNSON FUNERAL AT MANCHESTER TODAY

Funeral Services for Late Mrs. Alden Johnson to be Held This Morning—Public Schools to Open Monday—Other Manchester News Notes.

Manchester, Dec. 28.—Mrs. Alden Johnson passed away at her hame here Friday morning. Mrs. Johnson suffered an attack of influenza and complications developed which caused her death. She was twenty-five years of age. Most of her life was spent in this vicinity, where she was highly respected and esteemed. She leaves to mourn her loss the husband and three children, Lloyd, Aliene, and Lyndal; also the father, Henry Cain, residing east of town, and one sister, Mrs. Carl Brown, living north of town.

Funeral services will be held from the residence Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Interment will be made in Manchester cemetery.

Manchester public school will open Monday, Dec. 31, after being closed six weeks because of the influenza epidemic. C. H. Griffiths, high school superintendent, is ill at his home near Roodhouse. The vacancy in the high school will be filled by Mrs. Karl Vanderpool.

Mrs. W. P. Griffin and children Nellie and Margaret, returned to their home in Bloomington Friday after a visit at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Simmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Brown visited with relatives in Winchester Friday.

Miss Lela Slone of Granite City spent Saturday and Sunday here, the guest of Misses Lennie Chapman and Louise Pearce.

Miss Linnie Blevins of Springfield spent Christmas at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Blevins.

Fred S. Pearce of Low Point spent Saturday and Sunday at his home here.

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SUNDAY SERVICES AT WESLEY CHAPEL

At Wesley Chapel Sunday, Sunday school will be held at 2 o'clock and church services at 3 o'clock.

Pennsylvania nut size crushed coke for hard coal base burners.
George S. Rogerson.

From War to Peace

The transition period between war and peace offers many opportunities to the careful investor. We shall be glad to suggest how you can take advantage of these opportunities. You are placed under no obligation by consulting us and we are just as glad to talk over the investment of a few hundred dollars as one of many thousands.

Elliott State Bank

SERGT. LOREN FANNING WRITES TO PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Fanning, formerly of this city but now of Madison, Ill., have received a letter from their son, Sergt. Loren Fanning, with Co. D, 549th Engineers, stating that he has arrived safely overseas. It will be remembered by his friends that he and several other boys enlisted last June in Beardstown and went to Camp Dix, N. J., where they were to take 40 days' training and then sail for France. However, Priavte Fanning had an attack of illness and could not sail with the others. When he left the hospital he was made corporal and just before sailing was promoted to sergeant.

He states in his letter to his parents that the trip across was made in just six days and that the voyage was a pleasant one in every way. They landed in England and after traveling over a goodly portion of that country the men were taken to France. Sergt. Fanning said he was sorry he did not get over in time to take part in some of the fighting, but was nevertheless glad the war was over. He declared the boys were all ready to come back to the U. S., for thy had found that there is no place like home.

PRE-INVENTORY SPECIAL BARGAINS IN SUITS, COATS, SKIRTS, BLOUSES, FURS AND MILLINERY AT HERMAN'S.

NEW YEAR'S SERMON AT MT. ZION

There will be services at Mt. Zion M. E. church Sunday afternoon. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Preaching at 3 p. m. The pastor will preach a New Year's Sermon. All are cordially invited.

F. C. Read, Pastor.

HEBRON CHURCH

Regular services will be held Sunday. Preaching by the Rev. Wetzel at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Following the regular Sunday school session there will be an election of officers for the ensuing year.

"END OF THE YEAR SALE" STARTS TODAY — COATS, SUITS, DRESSES AND MILLINERY — ALL NEW AND DESIRABLE — SOME MARKED FOR THIS SALE AS LOW AS HALF THE FORMER PRICES. SEE OUR BIG WINDOW DISPLAY TODAY.
F. J. WADDELL & CO.

Mrs. W. A. Furr and daughters Dorothy and Betty will be guests today at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Doane on Grove street. They have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dan Clark in the vicinity of Berlin and tomorrow will return to their home in Carbondale.

AT STATE STREET CHURCH

Rev. W. H. Marbach, lieutenant in the army service, arrived in Jacksonville Saturday afternoon in accordance with a telegram previously sent to C. A. Johnson. He will occupy the pulpit of State Street church today.

WOODSON GARAGE

General repair work done by competent mechanics. Full line of automobile accessories, including all Ford parts. Work done with a guarantee of satisfaction.

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The home of Good Pictures. Admission, 10c and 5c

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220 E. State St. Change of program daily

PROGRAM FOR THIS WEEK

MONDAY
BESSIE BARRISCALE
—in—
"THE HEART OF RACHEL"
Screened from the novel by Kathleen Norris; contains everything that goes to make a successful photodrama, besides working out a theme familiar to everyone—the use and abuse of divorce.

TUESDAY
ALICE BRADY
—in—
"THE DEATH DANCE"
A story of dance and song, of sorrow and tears, and an ending that thrills! History repeats itself in "The Death Dance," Alice Brady's latest play.

WEDNESDAY
CARMEL MEYERS
—in—
"SOCIETY SENSATION"
Every picture made by Carmel Meyers is a hit. Do not fail to see this wonderful society drama in five parts.

"SURRENDER OF THE ENTIRE GERMAN FLEET"
Absolutely authentic and complete official picture of the greatest events in world's history.

THURSDAY
ELAINE HAMMERSTEIN
—in—
"THE CO-RESPONDENT"
adds another superb characterization to her collection of triumphs.
—Also—
OFFICIAL WAR REVIEW

FRIDAY
"THE LION'S CLAW
Episode No. 17
"ALL FOR GOLD"
A big, smashing western drama.
"UNTAMED LADIES"
A comedy in two parts.

SATURDAY
HARRY CAREY
—in—
"THREE MOUNTED MEN"
A story of western drama in five parts.

RIALTO

MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Feature Picture

HAROLD LOCKWOOD
—in—
Pals First
—Also—
PATHE WEEKLY

Admission 10 and 15c
Adults, 13c plus 2c Tax
Child'n, 9c plus 1c Tax

Scott's Theatre

MONDAY and TUESDAY

"Two Years in Hell and Back with a Smile"

PRIVATE HAROLD PEAT
—in—
"Private Peat"

A Photodrama Based on His Own Book

Private Peat's story has already been made world-famous by the newspapers, by the book he wrote, and by the talks he has given.

But the screen version of it all is as vivid as life. It will show America just what the American boys were battling thru and how they grimly smiled as they did their job neatly.

Just back from the trenches, Private Peat shows you what life was like for our boys on the battlefields of France.

It's a Paramount-Artcraft Special, and you and all the folks in your town know that means production as big as a circus.

—Also—

A James Montgomery Flagg 2-reel comedy
"HICK MANHATTAN"

Adults, 15c Children, 10c
This Includes Your War Tax

COMING WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
Theda Bara in "Cleopatra."

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Brown kid—
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Brown kid with field mouse uppers.

These high grade shoes make ideal Christmas gifts. We will gladly exchange any shoes sold now after Christmas.

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A complete line of men's and women's Rubbers and Overshoes are now on sale. Get yours now, while the getting is good. -:- -:-

BAKING

The Holiday Season is with us once more and there is much to be thankful for—much that we are most thankful for. One of the least, under the circumstances, is that we can have the use of white flour once more, yet everyone should be thankful for that as well.

During this season more baking than usual is done—bread, pie, cake, etc., and we do not believe you will find a better all-purpose flour than "CAINSON". Every sack guaranteed.

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CITY AND COUNTY

Theodore Martin of the north part of the county was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Frank Tracy was a representative of Jerseyville in the city yesterday.

G. W. Foster of the vicinity of Exander was a city caller yesterday.

G. W. Brown of the southeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Cass Travis of Prentice was a city caller yesterday.

Benjamin Cully of Joy Prairie was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Richard Stanley of the northeast part of the county called on city people yesterday.

O. E. Rexroat of the region of Arcadia was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Scott Green of Antioch vicinity was among the city arrivals yesterday.

Prince Coates of the vicinity of Riggston was among the city's guests yesterday.

Douglas Stockton of Sinclair was a city visitor yesterday.

George Balsley and wife of Beardstown have arrived in the city after a visit in Raymond and Decatur and are guests of Mr. Balsley's brother, C. H. Balsley of Jacksonville.

Mack Shibe and family expected to return to their home in Garvin, Iowa today after a visit with relatives and friends in the city.

Miss Ruth Miller was up to the city from Murrayville yesterday.

C. W. Mason of Joy Prairie was attending to affairs in the city yesterday,

Jesse B. Rogans of Kansas City is visiting his son Gregory B. Rogans on Ashland avenue.

Ira Fanning helped represent Murrayville precinct in the city yesterday.

R. E. Phillips of the east part of the county was among the transient guests of the city yesterday.

William Foster of Alexander was one of the visitors in the city yesterday.

Miss Eva Ramsey of Murrayville was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Carter were city representatives of Markham yesterday.

Miss Pearl Gilpin of Waverly was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

C. M. Strawn traveled from Alexander to the city yesterday.

Miss Bertha Peet of Prentice was one of the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Thomas Stubblefield helped represent Pisgah in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Lindsay of Orleans were among the city shoppers yesterday.

William Norman was down to the city from Literberry yesterday.

John Snyder of Alexander was among the arrivals in town yesterday.

Howard Cully of the east part of the county was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Clark Stevenson of the region of Orleans was attending to his interests in the city yesterday.

S. T. Zachary was a representative of the east part of Pisgah precinct in the city yesterday.

Jerry Flynn of the classic precincts of Buckhorn traveled to the city yesterday.

Walter Davenport of Alexander was a caller on city people yesterday.

John Flynn of the southeast part of the county traveled to the city yesterday.

Fred C. Trotter was down to the city from Sinclair yesterday.

J. W. Wilson helped represent Literberry in the city yesterday.

Benjamin Allen and daughter Dorothy were down to the city from Strawn's Crossing yesterday.

V. B. Thompson of Sinclair was among the business men of the city yesterday.

G. D. Childs of Mason City was called to the city on business yesterday.

L. J. Barnett of Meredosia was attending to business matters in the city Saturday.

Joseph G. West of Wichita, Kans., was calling on friends in the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. R. Zahn of Concord was a shopper in the city Saturday.

C. H. Roach of Literberry was called to the city on business yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Fritts of Boston, Mass., are spending a few days in the city.

John E. Hall of Meredosia was spending a few hours in the city yesterday.

B. M. Montgomery of Petersburg was numbered among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

W. F. Oehler of Minier was a business caller in the city Saturday.

E. G. Barton and Milo E. Galloway of Pleasant Hill were Jacksonville visitors Saturday

William Whalen, Martin Anderson and George Woods were representing Franklin in the city Saturday.

Mrs. George Hocking expects to leave Tuesday for St. Louis where she will visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Gertrude Benson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Benson, is visiting relatives in Alton.

John Wilkinson helped represent Woodson in the city yesterday.

John Flynn was a city arrival from Buckhorn yesterday.

William Murgatroyd and son of the north part of the county were city callers yesterday.

William Tracy of Jerseyville was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Thomas McGinnis traveled from Meredosia to the city yesterday.

Levi Deatherage of Arcadia was called to the city by business matters yesterday.

Jason Clark of the north part of the county traveled to the city yesterday.

James Martin of the vicinity of Arcadia was a city visitor yesterday.

Marion Duncan of the east part of the county visited city people yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Foster of Alexander helped swell the list of city callers yesterday.

William Braker of Literberry was down to the city yesterday.

Charles Ketterman of Alexander had business in the city yesterday.

Charles Strawn was a business visitor in the city from Alexander yesterday.

Sam Kamm was a Saturday visitor in the city from Alexander.

Frank Weigand of Alexander was a city caller yesterday.

John Dunlap of Alexander was among the business visitors in the city Saturday.

Harold Zachary was in the city from Orleans yesterday.

Robert Smith of Orleans was a Jacksonville visitor Saturday.

John Boddy and son Walter arrived in the city from Markham yesterday.

Samuel Henry was up to the city from oodson yesterday.

Mrs. W. J. Mahoney of Joliet and daughter Mary are visiting Mrs. Mahoney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hagan on East College avenue.

John Weeks made a business trip from Arenzville to the city yesterday.

Robert Roach was a city traveler from Literberry yesterday.

James Finch of Chapin a traveler to the city yesterday.

William Hiser of Joy Prairie was attending to affairs in the city yesterday.

John Becker of Alexander was a visitor in the city yesterday.

C. E. James of the northwest part of the county was a caller in the city yesterday.

Harold Taylor of Bayleis was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

Miss Dorothy McGill is visiting with Miss Hazel Watson, of near Woodson.

Lieut. John W. Larson has gone to Rock Island for a few days' visit with relatives.

L. J. Stewart of Sinclair was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Christian Horrer of Joy Prairie was a visitor with Jacksonville people yesterday.

Cecil Wegehoft of Concord was among the city arrivals yesterday.

Leonard Simpkins helped represent Arenzville in the city yesterday.

. Hodgson of Sadorus was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Martin Reed of Carthage was attracted to the city yesterday.

Lawrence Henry was up to the city from Woodson yesterday.

H. A. Stubblefield of Havana was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

P. S. Gordon of Indianapolis was among the city arrivals yesterday.

Andrew Cooper of Literberry was added to the list of city callers yesterday.

John Doyle and family are here from Rock Island for a holiday visit with relatives. Mr. Doyle is in the electrical business in Rock Island.

Dennis Whalen of Franklin, formerly a well known school teacher of the county, was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

James Whalen and son Thomas who have been visiting Morgan county relatives, have returned to their home in Carrollton, Mo.

Private Henry Yording has received his honorable discharge from Fort Riley, Kansas. He is now visiting with his sister, Mrs. Tholen at 522 Sandusgy street. He was in the quartermaster department.

Louis Roberts of Franklin was one of the city arrivals yesterday.

Mrs. T. H. Stone of Chapin was a traveler to the city yesterday.

N. T. Fox helped represent Sinclair in the city yesterday.

L. A. Reed of the east part of the county made the city a call yesterday.

Bud Trent of the north part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Melta Smith of the south part of the county visited the city yesterday.

Henry Slack was a city arrival from Franklin yesterday.

E. E. Hart was down to the city from Sinclair yesterday.

Thomas Brown of the north part of the county was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

L. P. Hoffman has gone to Chicago to visit his daughters, Misses Grace and Minnie, teachers in a musical institution in the great city. The young ladies are very talented and withal capable instructors, persons of whom Jacksonville has cause to be proud.

Ernest Dewees of the north west part of the county traveled to the city yesterday.

J. W. Wilson of Literberry made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Frank Hobbs of the hardware house of H. L and B. W. Smith, has gone to Beardstown to visit his sister.

E. B. Chrisman and wife were among the travelers from Merritt to the city yesterday

Mrs. J. E. Underbrink of Literberry was one of the city's shoppers yesterday.

Mrs. T. A. Tomlin of Tallula was among the visitors in town yesterday.

William M. Crum made a trip from Literberry to the city yesterday.

Arthur and Amos Swain were city callers from Sinclair yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Still of Murrayville was added to the list of city shoppers yesterday.

Misses Eunice and Ruth Woods were city visitors from Franklin yesterday.

Charles Wilson was a traveler to the city from Literberry yesterday

Charles Clampit of the north part of the county journeyed to the city yesterday.

James Martin of the vicinity of Literberry was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Fred Rook of East St. Louis was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Allinson Thomason and William Sargent were city callers from Markham yesterday.

Homer Cuddy and Frank Hunter of Strawn's Crossing were arrivals in the city yesterday.

Clifford Jones of the north part of the county was among the city arrivals yesterday.

Charles Thiess of the southwest part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Ralph Goltra of the west part of the county was a city caller yesterday.

Irvin Patterson of the northeast part of the county had occasion to visit the city yesterday.

A. H. Hall of the vicinity of Arcadia had business demanding his presence in the city yesterday.

Charles Gilbert and W. A. Cleary of the west part of the county were among the business men of town yesterday.

Earl Lukeman of the vicinity of Arnold was looking after his interests in the city yesterday.

William Megginson was up to the city from Woodson yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Jacob have returned to East St. Louis after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Henry of Webster avenue.

James E. Parker, a former resident of Jacksonville now living in Decatur, has been spending a few days in the city visiting his sister Mrs. Kate A. Neal of 743 Allen avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bentley of Reno, Ill., are spending the holidays with their son, James Bentley, 928 West North street, and their niece, Mrs. Henry Davis, 745 Allen avenue.

Charles Crisp, who is government farmer for the Omaha tribe of Indians, in Nebraska, has completed a Christmas visit at the home of C. W. Neal on Allen avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Boden have returned to their home in St. Louis after a pleasant visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Roedersheimer on Caldwell street.

Mrs. George Tremblett has received word that her son Verne has been seriously ill with pneumonia at a hospital in Chicago. At last report the young man was improving.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Light have returned to their home in Davenport, Iowa, after a two weeks visit at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Sweringen on East Greenwood avenue.

Henry Smith was a city arrival from Murrayville yesterday.

W. G. Hadden of the vicinity of Joy Prairie elevator called on city people yesterday.

C. E. Reynolds of Woodson precinct was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Arch Bridgman of Shiloh vicinity was a visitor with Jacksonville people yesterday.

Charles F. Burmeister of Ebenezer was one of the business men in the city yesterday.

William Brown of the vicinity of Murrayville traveled to the city yesterday.

Messrs. W. S. Douglas, Terrence Sloan and J. H. Hagel, employed in the C. & A. shops in Bloomington are enjoying a Christmas vacation with friends in the city.

Edward Rea of Murrayville made the city a visit yesterday.

Jerome Culp of Woodson made the city a visit yesterday.

Charles Blimling of the south part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Newton T. Wood of Franklin was a visitor with Jacksonville people yesterday.

Benj. D. Cade of Murrayville was a caller in the city yesterday.

William Mortimer of Woodson precinct called in the city yesterday.

William Brown helped represent Murrayville precinct in the city yesterday.

J. P. McCurley of Modesto was a traveler to the city yesterday visiting his sister, Mrs. L. B. Haynes on South Mauvaisterre street.

A. W. Jewsbury of Markham precinct was a traveler to the city yesterday.

John Hadden of Joy Prairie made the city a visit yesterday.

Edward Barrows of the vicinity of Durbin was a caller in the city yesterday.

Samuel Camm of the southeast part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Martin Ryan helped represent Franklin in the city yesterday.

Miss Helen Richardson of Pisgah called on city people yesterday.

Vernon Hale of Bluffs paid the city a call yesterday.

Edward D. Glandon of Pittsfield, Ill., president of the Illinois Independent Telephone association, and H. Linton Reber of St. Louis, president and general manager of the Kinlock Telephone company have been appointed by the federal authorities, on a commission to look after the interests of the Independent telephone companies in Illinois. Mr. Glandon is chairman of this commission.

Misses Cecelia and Edith Flynn expect to resume their studies at the Sacred Heart Academy at Springfield Monday, after spending the holidays at their home at Clements.

Harold Gillham who has been visiting his parents at Riggston returned yesterday to Camp Taylor, where he is connected with the base hospital. He was accompanied by his father, J. E. Gillham, who will visit in Lexington, Ky., for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Dowell of Franklin and daughter of Beardstown returned yesterday from southeast Missouri where they spent Christmas with Mr. Dowell's brother. Mrs. Dowell and daughter went to Beardstown while Mr. Dowell returned to Franklin.

HOME FROM MISSOURI.

Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Dowell and daughter were in the city yesterday on their way home to Franklin from a recent visit with relatives in Buffalo, Missouri. The place is in the southern part of the state but Mr. Dowell says they had snow and cold weather even down there. While they were away they visited at a place where the people had a regular, old-fashioned fire place which was a great curiosity to their daughter who had never seen one before. It was a reminder of the good old days when the backlog was as large as a man's body and the forestick half as big. Some men had doors opposite each other and would haul in a big blacklog with a horse, the animal entering at one door and passing on out at the other.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

James A. Groves et al to L. S. Doane, lots 2 and 3 2-15-11, $1.

Alvin H Groves to Sarah E Groves, pt. northeast quarter west half southwest quarter, 36-14-10, $1.

RETURN TO KANSAS CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Seegar have returned to Kansas City after a holiday visit with Mrs John Robertson on West Lafayette avenue and with relatives and friends. As previously mentioned, Mrs. Seegar was Miss Amanda Rawlings before her recent marriage and her husband is a well known railroad official resident in Kansas City.

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LIEUT. BUCKTHORPE IS HOME FROM CAMP

Well Known Jacksonville Dentist Discharged From Medical Service of Army—Located at Southern Camp.

There is doubtless one man in town today with a stiff arm and sore right hand and that is Dr. R. R. Buckthorpe who arrived home about noon yesterday from Camp Greenlear Chickamauga park, Georgia. He has been honorably discharged from Dental Division, Co. 43, battalion 2. He is looking remarkably well and attending to the teeth of the soldiers must have well agreed with him. It took him a long time to get anywhere Saturday as every step of the way he was stopped by some enthusiastic friends eager to see him and shake his hand.

The doctor is expecting to immediately re-enter practice here and whilehis work at camp was arduous he is in the best of health.

There was particular interest to Lieut. Buckthorpe in the country about Chickamauga Park as he was in camp there as a member of Troop D, of the Illinois cavalry during the Spanish-American war.

He says the camp he left is being rapidly demobilized and it is to be especially prepared for the reception of the men to come from overseas. It is in the south where the weather is warmer than at the north and all efforts will be made to have things in good shape for the home coming boys.

MALLORY LODGE K. OF P.

All members of Mallory No. 30 Knights of Pythias are requested to meet at the castle Monday evening at 8 o'clock for business.

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APPROVE ANNOUNCED POLICY OF Y. M. C. A.

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Approval of the announced policy of the Y. M. C. A. to restrict its contingents of secretaries bound overseas to educational, entertainment and physical work specialists which expressed by secretary of war Baker in a letter to John R. Mott, head of the war council, made public here tonight.

Mr. Baker praised Y. M. C. A. volunteers of the non-expert class who were ready to go abroad when the armistice was signed for their prompt readjustment of plans and their uncomplaining attitude in the face of the sudden blasting of their ambitions for foreign service.

GIVES CZECHS MORE TERRITORY

PRAGUE, Dec. 28.—(By the Associated Press.)—The entente powers have decided to give to Czecho-Slovakia, the former German colony of Togoland, in west Africa and a portion of Hungary so that the boundaries will conform with the historical frontier of Slavic territory. It is declared that a note has been sent to Hungary outlining the proposed boundaries and asking that government to evacuate the territory mentioned.

LARGE SUMS TURNED OVER TO AMERICANS

Coblenz, Friday, Dec. 27.—(By The Associated Press.)—Nine million marks arrived here today from Berlin to be turned over to the American army authorities as part of German's payment toward the expenses of the army of occupation. The Germans now have given the Americans, in accordance with the terms of the armistice, 45,000,000 marks. The money has been placed in vaults near American headquarters where American soldiers guard it night and day.

MEDALS FOR EXEMPTION BOARDS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Legislation authoring medals for members of army draft boards and state officials who helped administer the selective service law was urged today by Secretary Baker in a letter to Chairman Dent of the house military committee.

NEW ARGENTINE COUNSEL NAMED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The state department was advised today that Hilarion Moreno had been appointed counsellor of the Argentine embassy here and Ferdnando Espella first secretary.

GERMANS LEAVE LARGE AMOUNT OF AMMUNITION

BRUSSELS, Dec. 28.—On Belgian railways at the present time there are more than 2,300 cars loaded with explosives, war material and merchandise of every kind left by the Germans.

PREPARATIONS FOR WILSON.

PARIS, Dec. 28.—Brand Whitlock, American minister to Belgium, told the American mission that elaborate preparations had been made at Brussels to receive President Wilson.

GERMAN AMBASSADOR LEAVES SPAIN

Madrid, Dec. 28.—Havas.—Negotiations concerning the departure from Spain of the German ambassador and his staff have been concluded. Prince Von Ratibor, the ambassador and his assistants will leave Madrid on January 9th.

HOLD CLOSING SESSIONS

New York, Dec. 28.—At the closing session of the American philological association convention today at Columbia University Prof John Adams Scott, of Northwestern University was elected president.

HOSPITAL COMPLETED.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—Completion of the army hospital project at Fort Sheridan has been recommended by a special board appointed by Secretary Baker. A favorable report also was made on the speedway hospital site at Chicago but the proposal was disapproved.

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Social Events

Bourne Family Reunion.

The Bourne family reunion was held Christmas day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bourne. Those present were Grandpa Bourne, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bourne and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bourne and son, Mr. and Mrs. Vinton Bourne and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bourne and son and Misses Estella and Dorothy Bourne, numbering 21 in all. An excellent dinner was served. After dinner was over and everything began to get quiet Santa Claus came, which was very exciting for the children. After visiting a little while Santa went to the Christmas tree and distributed the presents, which were very much enjoyed by all.

EXEMPTION BOARD NEWS

The registration records of Richard Harrison Ruble have been cancelled in accordance with instructions from the office of the adjutant general This order was given because the registrant was not eighteen years of age on the date of registration.

WITH THE SICK

Charles H. Story returned Saturday morning from Murrayville where he had been to see his brother, Harvey Story, who has been very ill with influenza but is now recovering.

CLUBS AND SOCIETY

The Chaminade Musical Club will meet Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. D. Canatsey, 606 North street at 2:30 o'clock The postponed Illinois Centennial program prepared for Dec. 2nd, and a short Christmas program will be given.

The Missionary society of the Christian church will hold a regular meeting Friday afternoon, Jan. 3, at 2:30 o'clock in the parlors of the church. All members of the organization and all women of the church are earnestly requested to attend.

The Women's Missionary Society of Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Jerry Cox on Caldwell street Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The annual thank offering will be given and all members are requested to be present and bring their missionary boxes.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself as candidate for county commissioner, subject to the Republican primary election.

G. E. Bond.

I hereby announce myself as candidate for county commissioner subject to the Democratic primary election, Jan. 25.

Charles N. Wyatt,
Franklin.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself as candidate for county commissioner subject to the Democratic primary election.

D. T. Summers.

I hereby announce myself Candidate for County Commissioner on the Republican ticket subject to the Primary election Jan. 25.

M. CLARENCE THOMPSON.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Democratic nomniation for county commissioner, subject to the decision at the primar yelection.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Light who have been visitores at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Sweringen on Greenwood avenue, have returned to their home in Davenport, Iowa.

MINISTERS FOR BOXING

Burlington, Iowa, Dec. 28.—A canvass of the ministers of Burlington show four out of every five interviewed in favor of a bill to legalize boxing in the state under the state commission plan.

AIR CASUALTIES

Washington, Dec. 28.—The war department announced today that 150 American commissioned officers of the air service were killed in action in France this year.

TROOPS ARREST MANY GERMANS

GENEVA, Dec. 28.—(Havas.)—The British troops have made many arrests at Cologne because the population did not obey orders to be in their homes at 9 p. m. according to reports received here. Fines had proved ineffective.

INDIAN FIGHTER GOING TO EUROPE

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—James A. McKenna of the "Fighting McKennas" a veteran Indian fighter on the plains and a picturesque figure known in many western states, will be sent to France by the Knights of Columbus to entertain American troops, it was announced today.

CARRYING OUT CONDITIONS SATISFACTORILY

PARIS, Dec. 28.—Armistice conditions relative to the delivery of railroad rolling stock are being carried out satisfactorily by the Germans. In a single day 3,500 cars and 200 locomotives were turned over the the allies.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

LOST—Wrist watch, Swiss movement. Reward. Return to Floreth Co. 12-29-3t

MRS. SCHIER DIES AT WHITE HALL

Deceased Was a Sister of Mrs. O. H. Cook of This City—Influenza Developed into Pneumonia.

Mrs. Eva Schier died at White Hall Saturday morning according to a message received here. The deceased was a sister of Mrs. Oran Cook, who had been summoned to White Hall Friday because of Mrs. Schier's critical condition. The deceased suffered an attack of influenza which developed into pneumonia. She is survived by her husband and twin sons, Walter and Warren, aged eleven months.

Mrs. Schier before her marriage was Miss Eva Trunnels and she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Trunnels, who survive her, together with a number of brothers and sisters. They are: Mrs. Oran Cook of this city; Mrs. Stella Johnson, Miss Ada Trunnels, of St. Louis; Mrs. Arthur Rogers and Misses Lillian and Beatrice Trunnels of White Hall; Roy Trunnels who is in the army service; Floyd of Oklahoma City, and Frank of White Hall.

The deceased who was a woman highly esteemed by those who knew her, was a consistent member of the Christian church of White Hall. She also held membership in the Royal Neighbors organization.

It is expected that the funeral will be held Tuesday.

Men's winter sleeping garments.
FRANK BYRNS' Hat Store.

ALEXANDER

William Hermes has retuned to Camp Custer, Michigan, after a furlough visit with relatives here.

Sebastian Kumle who has been spending a furlough with relatives in Alexander, returned to Camp Taylor Saturday.

James Snyder, wife and baby have returned to their home in St. Louis after a visit with Mr. Snyder's mother, Mrs. George Snyder.

J. K. Little was a business visitor in Jacksonville Saturday.

Miss Anna Snyder of Jacksonville, who has been spending several days at the home of her mother, Mrs. George Snyder, returned to Jacksonville Saturday.

Samuel Ruble, who was operated upon recently at a Springfield hospital, was reported in a serious condition Saturday.

Frank Weigand was among the Jacksonville business visitors Saturday

INSANE PATIENT ESCAPES AND IS CAPTURED

Friday night after the family had retired, a knock was heard at the door of C. E. Reynolds home near Woodson. Not knowing anything of the character of his would be visitor Mr. Reynolds declined to get up and open the door and the man left. He had better luck at the home of Frank McCurley who soon took in the man and the situation and brought his caller to the station at Woodson where he was taken in charge and returned to Jacksonville State hospital. Mr. Reynolds said he would have admitted the man had he known who he was.

LIEUT. EPLER HERE.

Lieut. Earl Epler was here from Beardstown yesterday for a visit with friends. Lieut. Epler, who is in the aviation service, has not yet been released but has been home on furlough.

DISCHARGED FROM SERVICE.

Dr. W. J. Williams, who was detailed to the Home sanatorium for medical training, recently secured his honorable discharge and returned to his home.

CAR SOLD AT AUCTION

A Reo 7 passenger car was sold at auction yesterday by the executors of the Hopper estate. The car was purchased by J. Marshall Miller for $605. It is understood that Mr. Miller represented Mrs. Charles Minter.

MEN'S CLASS TO MEET AT CENTENARY

The Loyal Men's Bible Class of Centenary church Sunday school taught by C. S. Smith, will meet this morning at 9:30 o'clock. This will be the first meeting of the class for nearly three months and a large attendance is hoped for. Men who are not in Bible classes in other churches are invited to be present.

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MACON LAND SELLS AT VERY HIGH FIGURE

New Record Made When Farm Brings $545 Per Acre—Other Sales at High Prices Also Recorded.

A new high record for farm land in Macon county was recently established, according to the Decatur Herald, when Jesse P. Sidthorp purchased a tract of 85½ acres at $545 per acre. This land is located two miles east of Warrensburg, not far distant from a large tract of land owned by George E. Klick, who a year since purchased the Strawn estate lands in this county.

The sale in Macon county was in settlement of the estate of Nathan Jones and was conducted by the master in chancery. In the bidding the land was started off at $300 and in a very short time this price had been raised to $475. Then this price was raised in bids of $1 to $5 until the $545 mark was reached. The purchaser of the land expects to use it as a place of residence. It is said that about forty-five years ago he owned 40 acres of the tract he has just purchased and at that time sold it at $60 an acre.

Other land sales recently recorded in Macon county were 160 acres east of Maroa at $340 an acre. This same tract was sold less than a year ago at $250 an acre. Two other tracts were recently sold at $250 an acre, and still another farm sold at $274. And the strange part of it is that this Macon county land is not a bit better than the land of Mongan county.

ENTERTAINED RELATIVES

Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Foreman of Case avenue entertained a company of relatives at dinner Saturday. It was a very pleasant social occasion.

COMING FOR VISIT

Elmer Whalin, who is in service in the medical department at Camp Taylor, is expected home Tuesday for a few days' visit.

Mrs. Ida Whitmer has returned to Jacksonville after a holiday visit at the home of her daughter Mrs. Edith Strawn, in Peoria. Misses Helen and Vivian Whitmer were also Christmas guests there.

Mrs. B. C. Ellis and Miss Ione Wilson of Pittsfield are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Davison west of the city.

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FOUR MINUTE MEN IN VERY USEFUL SERVICE

War Time Agency Has Now Been Dissolved — Appreciation of Work Done Voiced by Many Prominent Officials.

One of the war time agencies which continually brought good results was the Four Minute Men organizations. It was recently announced that the organization would be disbanded as it has served its purpose. Final report was filed with President Wilson just a short time before he sailed for Europe.

The Four Minute Men organization in Morgan county was in charge of a committee of which Rev. M. L. Pontius was the chairman. There were Four Minute Men in service in Jacksonville and in various towns of the county. They made brief addresses at the picture theaters, in schools and churches. In addition to those making their regular weekly addresses as directed from Washington, bulletins were sent to a number of others who made special addresses in lodges or before other organizations. The Four Minute Men of the county included the following, who might be classed as regular and special:

Regular—A. C. Metcalf, J. M. Butler, W. W. Schrag, E. E. Crabtree, Paul Samuell, Rev. W. E. Collins, Rev. E. B. Landis, Jacksonville

Rev. J. E. Herbert, T. H. Stone, Chapin.

W. H. McLean, Meredosia.

C. E. Rice, Meredosia.

Prof J. R. Colbert, Waverly.

Prof. O. B. Mounce, Franklin.

Harry Cade, Murrayville.

W. H. Crum, J. E. Underbrink, Literberry.

Dr. G. W. Miller, Woodson.

Joshua Hubbs, Prentice.

Rev. L. R. Cronkhite, Lynnville.

Special—Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick, Dr. F. B. Madden, Rev. J. F. Langton, Rev. F M Crabtree, Dr. Leonard Staff, J. Marshall Miller, C. A. Ogle, E. M. Vasconcellos, Wm. E. Thomson, Wm. Fairlee, W. F. Thompson, J L. Wyatt, S. F. Sooy, Alonzo McNeely, Murrayville, and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Burdick, Meredosia

The final report for the organization presents some very interesting facts.

It showed a total cost to the Government for all the activities of the entire organization during eighteen months of $101,555,10. The cost to patriotic individuals who contributed to the cause is stated at $2,564,970.00. The total estimated cash value of the work is $9,424,800.10.

Forty-six bulletins of information were sent to speakers from headquarters, covering thirty-six distinct campaigns of information, inspiration and direct appeal. At the conclusion of the war, there were 7408 organizations containing seventy-five thousand members. It has been estimated from accurate skeleton statistics that more than a million four minute speeches were delivered by these members to audiences totaling four hundred millions. The average number of speeches delivered during each distinct campaign was about 28,000, and the average audience for each campaign exceeded eleven millions.

Efficacy of the ork.

Perhaps the best evidence of the efficacy of the work is found in what the executive officers of the government have said about it from time to time as the war progressed.

On October 16th, 1917, Herbert Hoover, head of the United States Food Administration, wrote requesting the services of the Four Minute Men in the following words: "I am writing this note to solicit in particular the active support of the Four Minute Men. If their work on the Food Campaign will be as enthusiastic and effective as it is now proving in the Liberty Loan Campaign, I am satisfied that a large and permanent good in our cause can be accomplished by your speakers."

On November 9th, 1917, the president of the United States sent his first communication to the fifteen thousand Four Minute Men of the United States: "May I not express my very real interest in the vigorous and intelligent work your organization is doing in connection with the Committee on Public Information? It is surely a matter worthy of sincere appreciation that a body of thoughtful citizens with the hearty cooperation of the managers of moving picture theaters are engaged in the presentation and discussion of the purposes and measures of these critical days.

Had Task of Arousing People.

"Men and nations are at their worst or at their best in any great struggle. The spoken word may light the fires of passion and unreason or it may inspire to highest action and noblest sacrifice a nation of freemen. Upon you Four Minute Men, who are charged with a special duty and enjoy a special privilege in the command of your audiences, will rest in a considerable degree, the task of arousing and informing the great body of our people, so that when the record of these days is complete we shall read page for page with the deeds of army and navy the story of unity, the spirit of sacrifice, the unceasing labors, the high courage of the men and women at home who held unbroken the inner lines. My best wishes and continuing interest are with you in your work as part of the reserve officer corps in a nation thrice armed because through your efforts it knows better the justice of its cause and the value of what it defends."

On the 20th of February, 1918, the president recognized the magnificent cooperation of the motion picture theaters with the Four Minute Men in these words addressed to the National Director: "The motion picture theaters of the country are rendering so substantial a service in aiding the Four Minute Men as spokesmen of the national cause that I would not willingly fail to acknowledge the debt the country owes to these theater managers. Their response to requests has been hearty, and their cooperation is most helpful Will you please convey to them my appreciation of their aid in giving this exclusive privilege to your speakers?"

Assisted Every Patriotic Cause

On June 5th, Hon. W. G. McAdoo, Secretary of the Treasury, wrote concerning the cooperation of the Four Minute Men in a War Savings Stamp campaign. The following is an extract from that letter: "As Secretary of the Treasury, I have requested the Four Minute Men to take part in this important campaign. I welcome your hearty cooperation. The value of your work can not be overestimated. All departments of the government recognize the splendid assistance you have given every patriotic cause."

In a letter dated September 18th, 1918, rovost Marshal General E. H. Crowder acknowledged the assistance of the Four Minute Men during the campaign preceding second National Registration Day on September 12th in the following terms: "When you visited me some weeks ago to arrange for the use of the Four Minute Men in securing publicity for Registration Day, I had no adequate conception of the effective power that could be wielded in that manner. Upon the publication of your Bulletin, I was gratified to note how fully and accurately the subject had been mastered and how well the appeal had been phrased. As the news came of the activities of the Four Minute Men, I realized keenly the great power for publicity which was embodied in your organization. The registration proves to have been one hundred per cent a success; and I wish to express my appreciation of your important share of that success."

On October 19th, Mr. John R Mott, Director General of the United War Work Campaign, acknowledged the proffered assistance of the Four Minute Men in these terms: "On behalf of the General Committee of the United War Work Campaign, on which we enter so soon at the request of President Wilson, I wish to express our profound appreciation of the large and indispensable service which you are to render in making possible the full success of this great patriotic endeavor. Let me at the same time venture to express my own conviction that there is no agency or body of men in our nation who, since America entered the War, have done such effective work to educate, quicken conscience and stimulate the unselfish activities of the American people as have your great company of speakers and leaders."

Cost to Government Small

On November 29th, 1918, just before he sailed for Europe, the president added the keystone to the arch of appreciative comment on the war work of the Four Minute Men, in the following letter acknowledging receipt of the final report on their work: "I have read with real interest the report of your activities, and I wish to express my sincere appreciation of the value to the government of your effective and inspiring efforts. It is a remarkable record of patriotic accomplishment that an organization of seventy-five thousand speakers should have carried on so extensive a work at a cost to the Government of little more than one hundred thousand dollars for the eighteen month period—less than one dollar yearly on an individual basis. Each member of your organization, in receiving honorable discharge from the service, may justly feel a glow of proper pride in the part that he has played in holding fast the inner lines. May I say that I, personally, have always taken the deepest and most sympathetic interest in your work and have noted, from time to time, the excellent results you have procured for the various departments of the Government. Now that this work has come to its conclusion and the name of the Four Minute Men (which I venture to hope will not be used henceforth by any similar organization) has become a part of the history of the great war, I would not willingly omit my heartfelt testimony to its great value to the country, and indeed to civilization as a whole, during our period of national trial and triumph. I shall always keep in memory the patriotic cooperation and assistance accorded me throughout this period and shall remain deeply and sincerely grateful to all who like yourselves have aided so nobly in the achievement of our aims."

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TO CARE FOR SOLDIERS WEAKENED MENTALLY

Something of Work of Mental Hygiene Committee Outlined By F. P. Norbury.

Dr. and Mrs. F. P. Norbury and Miss Elizabeth Norbury were in Jacksonville yesterday guests of Mrs Charles A. Barnes and Mrs. Garm Norbury. During this week Dr. Norbury will return to New York City as acting director for the national committee for mental hygiene. The Springfield News-Record yesterday gave the following paragraphs about Dr. Norbury's work:

"After his return to his headquarters in New York, Dr. Norbury will immediately start a campaign for the enactment of laws to provide for soldiers and sailors whose minds have became weakened in the war.

"There are 23 states in the union whose legislatures will convene in January and Dr. Norbury will indirectly place before each general assembly a voluntary committment bill, similiar to the one in Illinois, which will permit soldiers and sailors to enter institutions for care and treatment without first being adjudged insane by a court.

"Dr. Norbury has made a thoro study of the situation which confronts this country today in cargard to caring for and treating these thousands of men whose minds have become unbalanced in the war. His work as acting medical director for the national committee of mental hygiene has placed him in a position to understand the situation as no other man in the United States.

"Since September he has been planning and organizing for the care of men coming home from the service as mental and physical wrecks. Under his supervision every hospital and institutions in the United States, which cares for mental diseases, has been surveyed and considered as an institution where soldiers can be sent for treatment.

Organization Complete.

"Practicaly all organization work is now completed, he says, and it will be be his duty from now until he is relieved, to see that the proper steps are taken to put the plans into effect. He expects to be relieved of his duties some time between February 15 and April 1.

"The latest work in the way of taking care of mentally deranged soldiers accompished by Dr. Norbury was to inspect the famous hospital ship Levithan, which brought 350 such cases into port in this country on December 19. He had previously gone over and surveyed the ship, which was originally a German passenger ship and the largest afloat, and had made recommendations for the equipment needed to convert it into a hospital ship.

"After he had surveyed the Leviathan early in the fall, she was taken to a dry dock in Liverpool, England, there being no dry dock in this country large enough to receive her. While in the docks all the necessary equipment was placed as Dr. Norbury had recommended and she has now proved her worth. Slight changes in the equipment have been recommended by Dr. Norbury and the ship will sail for England once more on New Year's eve.

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George S. Rogerson.

HIGHWAY ASSOCIATIONS TO WORK UNITEDLY

A meeting of representatives of transcontinental and state highway associations was held in Chicago recently during the convention of the American association of Satte Highway officials. It was determined at that time to hold a meeting in January for the purpose of organizing some kind of a league of the active highway associations of the United States. At the Chicago conference about 20 associations were represented, including the Burlington Way, now organized in eight states. Accordingly a call has been issued for a general conference to be held in Kansas City Jan. 21, 1919.

It is believed that the opportune time has arrived to concentrate efforts of the various route associations on a program for a system of national highways which will include each individual project. It is understood that officials of the Burlington Way are heartily in favor of this general program and will lend their assistance in every way possible.

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RTEURNS TO CAMP

Sergt. Walter Uhnken, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Uhnken, near Chapin has returned to Camp Taylor.

Henry Bridgman of Arenzville drove to the city yesterday. He said he found the roads rather rough though fairly passable. It took some time to get here with horses.

LICENSED TO MARRY

A. H. Moore, East Moline, Carrie Marks, Jacksonville.

NUMEROUS INFLUENZA CASES IN VIRGINIA

Necessary to Again Place Ban on Public Gatherings in Cass County City—Several Funerals Held During Past Few Days—Other News Notes.

Virginia, Dec. 28.—Mr. W. H. Wilmayer of Quincy spent the holidays with his family in this city.

Lieut. Jackson Charles left Thursday for Brooklyn, N. Y. after attending the funeral of his brother, the late Ray Charles.

On account of the increased number of deaths and influenza cases in this city the ban was again placed on all public gatherings. All business places were ordered to close at 6 p. m., except restaurants, which will close at 7 p. m. All social gatherings, whether in private homes or public halls, are forbidden by the local board of health.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ross, residing north of this city received a card from their son, Robert Jr., telling of his safe return to New York from France.

Mrs. W. E. Gibson residing on Depot street is still quite ill from influenza. Other members of the family, who were ill have recovered.

Miss Miriam Lyles returned to Lynchburg, Va., after sepnding the holidays at the home of her parents Dr. and Mrs. Lyles in this city.

J. C. Bailey and family of Bloomington spent the Christmas holidays with relatives and friends in this city.

Neil Hoffstetter arrived home from a sojourn in Jenning, La., to spend the holidays with home folks.

Roy Stalling, who recently received his discharge from the U. S. army has accepted the Logan county agency for sale of the Dodge autos. He will open a sales and service station in Lincoln January 1st. Mr. Stallings had successfully conducted a similar business in this city prior to his departure to war

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Palmer and family returned Tuesday to their home in Springfield, having been called to this city by the death of Mrs. Palmer, sister of the late Mrs. Jeanette McNeely.

Friends in this city were saddened by the news of the death of Laird H. Daniels which occurred at the St. John's Hospital Saturday night, Dec. 21st.

Mr. Daniels had resided in Virginia previous to his removal to Springfield, where he left many warm friends who sincerely regret his untimely death and extend heartfelt sympathy to the young wife, who but recently recovered from a severe attack of influenza.

Herbert Tate died at his home in this city, Dec. 23, death being due to influenza. Deceased was born in this city, Jan. 15, 1887. He was united in marriage to Miss Julia Cooper July 30, 1915, who with one son survives him; also a father, Charles Tate, and three sisters, Mrs. Marcia Lynch, Mrs. Dena Arnett and Miss Arlo Tate, all of Canton.

Funeral services were held at the home Wednesday evening with internment in Walnut Ridge cemetery.

Joseph Sallee, died Dec. 25, at the home of his grandfather, Richard Henderson, from an attack of influenza.

Deceased was born in this city about 25 years ago. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Annie Simcox, of Chicago; one brother, William, in France; and one sister, Mrs. Thomas Clarke, of Galesburg. Out door funeral funeral services were held at the Henderson home, conducted by the Rev C. E. French, with burial in the city cemetery

James C. Stegall, the 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Stegall, residing just east of this city, died Thursday morning, Dec. 26th, from an attack of influenza.

Funeral services were held Friday evening at the residence with burial in City cemetery.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Connor died Tuesday morning and the remains were taken to Ashland Wednesday for internment. The mother and other members of the family are very ill with the "flu" at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Mullen.

Miss Olive Fielder will resume her school duties at Richland Monday, after many weeks vacation occasioned by the "flu" epidemic in that vicinity.

Rev. Max B. Wiles conducted the funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. Sarah J. Cooper at Literberry Friday. Burial was in Arcadia cemetery.

C. A. Russel, of Jefferson, Ill., is filling the vacancy at the B. & O. depot, occasioned by the illness of Agent R. B. Long.

Harmony Lodge No. 3 A. F. & A. M. will hold a special meeting Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Work, refreshments, visiting Brethren welcome.

Wm. Haineline, W. M.
John R. Phillips, Secretary.

SERVICES AT EBENEZER

At Ebenezer Sunday there will be no morning services, the funeral of the late John Hickman will be held at the regular church hour, 11 o'clock.

WATCH NIGHT SERVICE AT BROOKLYN

A watch night party has been announced by the people of Brooklyn church for next Tuesday evening, Dec. 31, from 8 to 12 p. m. The social committee of the church is making the arrangements for this service.

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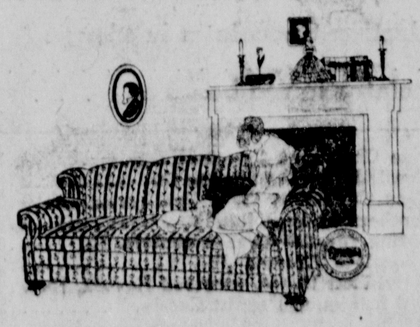
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W. R. COULTER DIED IN TEXAS SATURDAY

Former Resident Passed Away After Long Illness—Was Expert Sign Writer—Body will be Brought Back for Burial.

John R. Phillips received a telegram Saturday evening announcing the death at San Angelo, Texas of William R. Coulter, a former resident of Jacksonville.

For several years Mr. Coulter has been in failing health, being a sufferer from tuberculosis. After the death of his wife about three years ago he went to Texas in the hope that a change in climate might prove beneficial. He received relief but the disease was so far advanced that it was only temporary and death came Saturday afternoon.

William R. Coulter was born in this city in 1870 and later his parents moved to New Berlin and then to Springfield. His early life was spent in Springfield where he learned the trade of painting and sign writing.

About fifteen years ago he came to Jacksonville where he engaged in the business of sign writing which he followed until failing health compelled him to give up his work. He was an expert in his work and many of the best signs in the city today are of his handiwork.

During his residence here Mr. Coulter took an active part in Masonic work so long as his health permitted. He was a member of Harmony Lodge No. 3, Jacksonville Chapter No. 3, Jacksonville Council No. 5 and Hospitaler Commandery No. 31 Knights Templar.

Mr. Coulter is survived by one daughter Jean, who resides in Springfield, and two brothers, one of them residing near New Berlin.

While no arrangements for the funeral are known at this time it is thought that the funeral and interment will be at New Berlin where his wife is buried.

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SIX CANDIDATES FOR COMMISSIONER

Three Republicans and Three Democrats Have Filed Petitions—Primary Election Jan. 25th.

As announcements have indicated ther are several candidates for nomination for the office of county commissioner. Three petitions were filed by Republicans and three by Democrats. The primary election will be held Saturday, Jan. 25, that date having been chosen in this instance because it was deemed to greater convenience to farmers. The election will be held on March 1. It will be remembered this primary and election are necessitated by the death of David Wilson, former member of the board, the law making it necessary to hold an election to choose someone to fill his unexpired term. Those who filed petitions and are thus entitled to have their names on the official ballot are.

Republicans — George A. Wheler, M. Clarence Thompson and George A. Bonds.

Democrats — Richard Leake, Daniel T. Summers and Charles N. Wyatt.

RECEIVED CHRISTMAS PRESENT

Mrs. S. E. Moore and family of West Morton avenue received a box containing 8 pounds of fine butter from her nephew, Albert Johnson of Hart, Montana.

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HUNS WERE ASSURED FAIR TREATMENT

Corporal Paul Spink Sends Copy of Leaflet to His Parents—Lull After Armistice Was Oppressive.

Corp. Paul W. Spink, who is with Co. A, military police in the 33d division, recently wrote a very interesting letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Spink, enclosing a copy of a circular printed in German, which the corporal picked up in a "Jerry" gun emplacement. The circular, as indicated was printed in German over the signature of Gen. Pershing and was distributed broadcast over the German lines by means of aeroplanes. A reading of the circular readily indicates its purposes, in that German soldiers were thus given assurance that all who became prisoners would be treated with humanity provided by international law and that the daily rations would be varied and ample for all needs.

Mr. Spink was able to secure the services of Rev. F. C. Read for the translation of the circular which is printed below. Mr. Sprink wrote particularly about the day the armistice was signed. He said that the records showed that Germans ceased firing at 8 minutes before 11 o'clock and the Americans at one minute before that hour, so that there can be no question about who discharged the final shots of the war. The writer mentioned too that the period of intense quiet which came after all firing had ceased was really oppressive as the men had become accustomed to the sound of continuous bombardment.

The letter also mentioned the joyous celebration in which the soldiers took part the night of Nov. 11. He said that the French and American soldiers furnished the eats, the Germans wine and beer and that a big spread on No Man's Land was the result. Here is the German circular in English:

American Expeditionary Forces.
General Order No. 106.
Headquarters in France
July 1, 1918.

Concerning the Treatment of Prisoners of War.

1. As concerns the treatment of prisoners of war, natural rights and international law will be sacredly observed. Every alleviation of their condition demanded by the principles of humanity shall be granted them. Everyone shall conduct himself toward the enemy in a fittingly chivalrous and generous manner. This inflexible rule of conduct admits no exception, unless the enemy by mistreatment of the American prisoners in his hands, shall make the same necessary.

2. In exact fulfilment of the Hague Agreement, the prisoners will be assigned a definite place of internment; but they will only be confined when the rules of safety unavoidably require it, and then only so long as the conditions exist which render these measures necessary The prisoners shall not remain within range of their own artillery or be employed there; they will, in regard to food, lodging and clothing, be upon the same footing as the troops of the American Army. Their personal belongings including the identification tags, shall be left in their possession, with the exception of weapons, horses and military records. Members of the American Forces are strictly forbidden to receive presents from the prisoners, or to appropriate to themselves objects in the possesison of the prisoners. The prisoners may receive gifts and tokens, also letters, which the censor will inspect only so far as necessary. They shall be free to practice their religion, and they may make legal records, which will be preserved and communicated to those interested.

3. In the Berlin Treaty of 1799, which is still in force, the United States of America and the King of Prussia solemnly and mutually pledged each other before the whole world, "that the prisoners of war falling into the power of one or the other shall be lodged in a healthy place, that they shall not be confined, that their officers shall have suitable lodgings, and the troops be lodged in equally good quarters as their own troops, and furthermore, that they shall receive the same rations." And it is hereby declared that neither the pretext that war renders all treaties void, nor any other pretext may be adduced to abrogate these articles, but that, in a state of war, for which they were specially provided, as the most important articles of natural rights and international law, they shall be strictly in force.

The stipulations of this treaty will be conscientiously observed so long as they are not violated by Germany. Otherwise, new orders will be issued by the general staff.

By Order of General Pershing,
(Signed) James W. McAndrew.
Chief of the General Staff.
Robert C. Davis,
Adjutant General.

Daily Rations of the American Soldiers.

The German Prisoners of War Receive the Same Rations.

Beef, 567 grams, or Wild Game, 453 grams; Flour or Bread, 453 grams, Baking powder, 2.25 grams; Fruits, 68 grams or Canned Vegetables, 142 grams, Rice, 17 grams; Potatoes, or other fresh vegetables, 567 grams; Prunes, etc. 36 grams, Grain coffee. 31.75 grams Sugar, 91 grams; Milk, 14 grams; Salt, 18 grams; Peper, 1.13 grams; Bacon 18 grams; Butter, 14 grams; Spices, 0.4 grams; Cinnamon, 0.4 grams, Candy (Weekly), 227 grams; Vinegar, 0.019 liter; Syrup, 0 038 liter.

The directions concerning the treatment of prisoners of war must be strictly observed both in letter and spirit. Good treatment is assured to every German soldier who surrenders.

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Will Become Bride of A. H. Moore of Moline—Ceremony Will Be Said at 5:30 o'Clock This Afternoon by the Rev. J. H. Morphis.

This afternoon at 5:30 o'clock will occur the marriage of A. H Moore of Moline and Miss Carrie Marks of this city. The ceremony will be said by the Rev. J. H. Morphis, pastor of Northminster Presbyterian church, at the home of the bride.

The bride is the daughter of Henry Marks of this city. She was born and reared here and recently has been employed at Jacksonville State hospital. She is a member of Northminster church and has been active in the work of the organization. She is a young woman whose charm of manner has won for her a host of friends who will unite in wishing her many years of married life.

The groom is a resident of Moline and is highly regarded in his home community. They expect to make their home in that city.

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Rev. and Mrs. Alexander Cunningham have many interesting facts and experiences regarding their work in China and the good they have accomplished cannot be reckoned by earthly powers but it is recorded on high. Having lost their only child when she was quite young it has been their pleasure to rear for lives of usefulness Chinese children who have done them great honor. One already mentioned in the Journal became one of the foremost doctors in the city of Peking.

Two of Mrs. Cunningham's girls occupy high positions. One is the wife of a prominent physician, Dr. Fu, and another is the wife of General Lee Chang Tai, one of the country's greatest military men. A son is a prominent veterinary surgeon in the northern army.

Mr. Cunningham says General Feng, commander of the 16th brigade of the northern army, is a devout Christian and gathers his officers together every Sunday afternoon for a Bible class. He sent $20 to the hospital for work in Hunan. Mr. Cunningham says if Christian influence could only be more prevalent in China it would be an untold blessing to the country.

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Mrs. J. J. Frank and J. Herman Frank, of Popular Bluffs, Mo., are guests of Dr. and Mrs. Walter L. Frank. Mr. Frank expects to go to Buffalo soon and thence to Ithaca where is is a medical student at Cornell University. Mrs. Frank will remain in Jacksonville for a more extended visit.

ANNUAL POULTRY SHOW WILL BEGIN TUESDAY

Morgan County Poultry Exhibit Will Be Open To Public Tuesday Morning—Good List of Entries Already Received—D. T. Heimlich Will Judge Exhibit.

The annual exhibit of the Morgan county poultry association will be open to the public in Zahn's garage Tuesday morning and will continue thruout the week. The event has been postponed twice but despite that fact it is expected by the officers of the association that there will be a good number of entries.

Secretary Weber said Saturday evening that he had received a good list of entries a number of them from other cities. "While the postponement of the show will have its effect," said Mr. Weber, "we nevertheless expect the show to be a success."

This year the association has secured the services of C. P. Ross as superintendent of the exhibit. Mr. Ross will spend Monday in getting the exhibits arranged. In addition to the poultry exhibits a number of manufacturers have secured space and will have their products on display.

Heretofore the association has charged admission to the show. This year a departure has been made from this custom. The show will open Tuesday morning and close Saturday evening. The public will be admitted free during the entire week and all lovers of good poultry are cordially invited to attend.

A car load of bob sleds will be in Tuesday. Jacksonville Farm Supply Co.

REV. F. P. GILMAN DIES AT POST IN CHINA

Well Known Missionary Ends Years of Useful Service In Foreign Field.

A message received by Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Taylor from the foreign mission board of the Presbyterian church announced the death of Rev. F. P. Gilman at Hainan, China. The telegram was received here after a cabled message to the board. Rev. Mr. Gilman has several times been a visitor in Jacksonville, a guest at the Taylor home, as his first wife was a sister of Mrs. Taylor. One daughter, Miss Jeanette Gilman, was a resident here for a number of years and another daughter, Miss Julia Gilman, is now a member of the Taylor household.

Rev. Mr. Gilman was educated in the east and graduated from Princeton in the same class with President Wilson. The friendship formed in the university days continued in after years, altho Mr. Gilman at no time sought the influence of his classmate to forward his personal interests. Mr. Gilman was of a deeply spiritual nature and his interest in missionary effort was unflagging. He entered the missionary field in 1886 and was probably the first person to carry the message of Christianity to the Island of Hainan. He continued his work there thru all the after years except for the brief times that he was on furlough in this country. As a result of his work there are on the island today hundreds of Chinese of Christian faith and schools and churches stand as testimonials of his Christianity.

Mr. Gilman was a man of broad culture and education and while so thoroly interested in religious work, he continually found time for study and intellectual development. So it happened that those who met him upon his visits to the U. S. were always impressed with the strength of his mind and character and the self-sacrificing spirit of his purposeful life. He was on furlough in the U. S. two years ago and just a few days before his intended departure Mrs. Gilman became ill and her death quickly followed. As a result of this sad happening Miss Jeanette Gilman determined to accompany her father to the foreign field, and so she has been engaged with him there in missionary effort for the past year. The cabled message gave no particulars but it is known that for the eminent missionary death came very suddenly.

ATTENTION, BARBERS
Local 497 will hold meeting Monday night. Regular order of business.
Ray Harmon, Pres.
Louis Leurig, Sec.

MYRICK TO RE-OPEN SHOP

A. R. Myrick, the well known bicycle, motorcycle and auto repair man, will again open his repair shop on January 2 as will be noted by his advertisement in another column. Mr. Myrick has recently returned from the Great Lakes Naval station, having been placed on the reserve list by the government. His new location will be at 215 South Main street.

A car load of bob sleds will be in Tuesday. Jacksonville Farm Supply Co.

MOTHERS ASSOCIATION

Mothers of soldiers or sailors of Morgan county are cordially invited to a meeting of the Mothers' Association of Morgan county, on Tuesday, December 31, at Grace M. E. church, at 2:30 p. m. Business of importance will be transacted at this time.

Dance at Woodman Hall New Year's Eve, for returned soldiers and their friends. Randall's Orchestra.

Mrs. M. L. Edson left yesterday for Beardstown to spend a number of days with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Edson at their home there.



SCHOOL Opens Jan. 2nd

Dress the boys in warm clothing, keep them comfortable, and avoid colds—

MACKINAWS and Overcoats with warm Ulster collars that button to the neck, come in ages 5 to 18.

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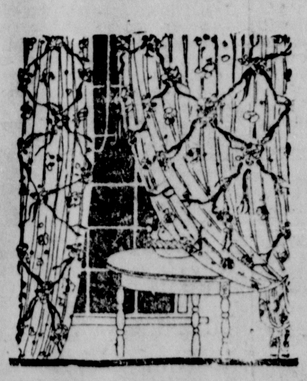
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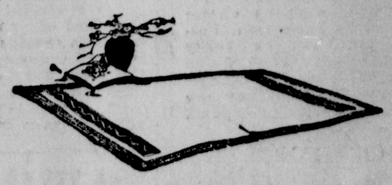
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Before taking stock we desire to close out all the small lots and odd pieces. In order that this may be accomplished quickly, we offer at sharp reductions this week many desirable lots which all economy buyers will appreciate.



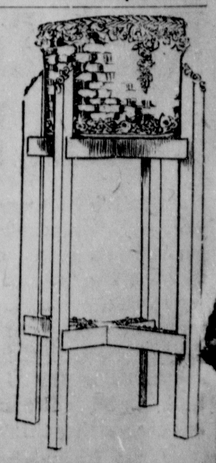
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Some slightly soiled rag rugs, different sizes reduced One-fifth.
Special variegated weave rag rugs, size 24x48, each $1.00
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CRAWFORD FUNERAL AT WAVERLY SATURDAY

Last Rites for Miss Mae Crawford Saturday Afternoon—Funeral Services for Mrs. W. E. Swift Held Friday at Family Residence — Other Waverly News Items.

Waverly, Dec. 28.—The funeral of Miss Mae Crawford ,the fifteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Crawford, was held at 2 o'clock p. m. Saturday at the East cemetery where burial was made.

Funeral services for Mrs. W. E. Swift who died Wednesday at Waukegan, were held at 2 p. m. Friday at the family residence, conducted by Rev. J. S. Smith of East Lynn, a former pastor of the Methodist church here. Interment was made in the East cemetery.

D. L. Gilpin arrived here this week from Carpenter, Wyoming, to spend the remainder of the winter.

Miss Ruth Dunseth who has a government position at Washington, is spending the holidays with her parents here.

Miss Alice Everett, who teaches in the high school at Shipman, is visiting her parents.

Charles Dunseth of Fargo, N. D., came Wednesday for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Hopson are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Geo. Nevins at Virden.

Mrs. F. A. Stewart has gone to Chillicothe, Ohio, to visit her husband who is at Camp Sherman.

Mrs. G. W. Bradley went to Merritt to visit her mother, Mrs. Harriet Chrisman.

Mrs. Ada Rantz is spending a few days with relatives in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Grant and two children of Athens are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Brian.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Brian.

Mrs. Violet Freeman of Urbana is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Keplinger of St Joseph, Mo., are visiting the former's father, J. W. Keplinger.

Miss Anna Colbert of Middleton is spending a few days with her parents here.

Mrs. W. H. Moulton and Earl Gates of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Guy Moulton.

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Stowell of Pine Bluff, Ark., are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Jennie Laycock.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Meredith of Little Rock, Ark., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Barrow.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Courtney are visiting their son George and family at Pana.

Rev. and Mrs. S. C. Pierce of Gifford came Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. W. E. Swift.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Howsen and Little daughter Mary Mabel of Chicago are visiting at the home of Mr and Mrs. G. W. Dunseth.

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Jefferson Cruse, Secy.

DINNER FOR SOLDIERS

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Carter of 414 East Superior avenue gave a Christmas dinner for their two sons that have just returned from camp. Also Mr. and Mrs. James Cheek, uncle and aunt of Mrs. Carter, of Eureaka, Ill.; Len Fisher and wife; Rev. Mr. Mackay and wife, and Jacob Davis.

John Fletcher of Ransbury, Wis., was in the city Saturday on his way to Waverly to visit his mother, Mrs. William Fletcher.

Miss Carrie Mauris of Centralia was a business visitor in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Alice Dobbs of Richland, Ill., was a Saturday visitor in Jacksonville.

Miss Susane Hart of Ashland was among the Saturday visitors in the city.

Miss Hazel Sims of Carrollton was among the visitors in the city Saturday.

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MEREDOSIA LAD RETURNS FROM FRANCE

Edward Swisher Makes Return Journey on Board George Washington—Hal Naylor on Furlough from Camp Gordon, Ga.—Other Meredosia News.

Meredosia, Dec. 28.—Mrs. Edward Wackerle and daughter Marjorie of Jacksonville and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Deppe and daughter Helen of Springfield, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Ritscher Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lefever are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl born into their home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Swisher have received a letter from their son Edward, who has been in the service in France, saying that he had arrived in U. S. and had the pleasure of returning on the steamer George Washington, which carried President Wilson and party to France.

Sam Coy of Beardstown was a visitor here this week. He has been recently discharged from service and arrived home for Christmas.

J. W. Skinner and family of Jacksonville attended the funeral of the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Skinner Tuesday, returning home Wednesday.

Hal Naylor who has been at Camp Gordon, Atlanta, Ga., arrived home Tuesday to spend the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Mary Naylor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Fields returned Friday from a visit with their daughter, Mrs. D. P. Hollis at Macomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rhoades have spent a portion of this week with Mr. Rhoades' parents in White Hall.

Frank Butcher arrived home Wednesday from Fort Adams, Rhode Island having received his discharge.

L. E. Deppe of Benton has spent the week with his father, L. H. Deppe and other relatives.

Friends here have received the sad news of the death of Elder T. J. Bonner at Newport, Ark., caused from an attack of influenza. He leaves a wife and four children. Elder Bonner was formerly pastor of the Church of Christ at this place.

Gilman Squires has received his discharge from service and returned home to stay.

Horace Jones of Camp Gordon Ga., was calling on friends here the latter part of the week. He will return Monday.

DANCE

Monday night, Degen's Hall, four piece orchestra. By Elite Social Club.

INTERESTING ITEMS FROM MURRAYVILLE

News Notes from Murrayville and Vicinity.

Murrayville, Dec. 28.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mutch and daughter Velma Isabel of Arvilla, N. D., came last week for a visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Clara Crouse went to White Hall Tuesday to spend Christmas with her daughter Mrs. F. L. Rowland and family.

Mrs. John Tendick and daughter Dorothy spent Christmas with the former's daughter, Mrs. Geo. Cunningham and family of Woodson.

Fred Rook of East St. Louis was a business visitor here Monday.

Harry Strang and family and C. J. Wright and family were guests Christmas of William Mortimer and family of near Woodson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carison entertained the following guests at a Christmas dinner: N. C. Carlson and, S. B. Jones and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rees Jones, Mrs. W. W. Mehroff and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Daniel

Mr and Mrs. C. M. Fanning spent Monday night and Tuesday with friends in Jacksonville.

A. T. Davenport and family of Jacksonville spent Christmas with Mrs. Davenport's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Phillips.

Elmer Sooy of Camp Gordon, Alabama, is home for a ten days furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walker were guests Christmas day of Mr. and Mrs. Will Walker of Jacksonville.

Corbett Wilson and Claud Dobson of Long Island, N. Y., are home for short furloughs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boruff and granddaughter, Helen James, spent Christmas with their son, C. A. Boruff and family in Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Blakeman of Monticello spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Blakeman.

Pennsylvania nut size crushed coke for hard coal base burners.

George S. Rogerson.

PUBLIC SALE

I will hold a public sale Tuesday, January 7, 1919 at my farm one and one half miles west of Pisgah and eight miles southeast of Jacksonville. I will offer for sale:

20 head of horses.
3,000 bushels of corn.
5 tons of loose hay.
300 bales of oats straw.
Farm implements and other articles.

CLARK L. GREEN.

MERRITT CHURCH SERVICES.

There will be services at the Methodist church in Merritt Sunday at 7 p. m. The pastor will preach a New Year sermon on, "All Things New". All are cordially invited.

F. C. Read, Pastor.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the neighbors and friends for their kind assistance in our recent bereavement of the loss of our dear mother, and for the many beautiful flowers.

Mrs. Chas. Beckum and brother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Mesenbach of Pearl were Saturday visitors in the city.

ILLINOIS COLLEGE NOTES.

Instruction will be resumed in the college and Whipple academy, Thursday noon, January 2. The conservatory will begin its work as originally announced on Monday, December 30.

ian Frisbie stating that he, Ray cently received a letter from Jul President Rammelkamp re Riefler and Robert Butcher had recently received commissions as second lieutenants at Qnantico. Butcher is expecting to go back to the tropics, Riefler to Paris Island and Frisbie has been assigned to the 187th company of the 15th regiment, stationed at Quantico. Elmer Lukeman also had an opportunity to receive a commission but preferred to take his discharge.

Edwin Greenlaw, ex '97, is joint editor with James H. Hanford of the "Great Tradition" recently published by Scott, Foresman and Company. The book is a collection of extracts of English literature.

The mess hall in the gymnasium is now being dismantled and preparations are being made to open the old club house when the students return after the holidays.

Mrs. P. C. Thompson, of West College avenue, will act as gymnasium instructor for the girls during the winter. Mrs. Thompson has acted in this capacity several times and has always made the work of great interest to the girls.

Word received from the office of the District Educational director indicates that the Student army training corps was regarded as having been successful in about 63 per cent of the institutions in Illinois, and Michigan. It seems that the enterprise was, on the whole, more successful in the er universities. It is also to be resmaller colleges than in the largmembered that the enterprise was passing from the experimental stage when demobilization was ordered.

LETTER COMMENDS SOLDIER.

Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Sheppard of Woodson are in receipt of a letter from Capt. G. H. Gellette, in command of troop E, officers training school at Camp Stanley, Texas. The captain writes to commend the excellent record made by their son, who is a member of troop E, and who is soon to receive his honorable discharge from the army service. The letter says: "He is bringing with him many fine qualities of body and mind, which he has acquired or developed in the military service. The army has done everything it could to make him strong, self-reliant and self-controlled. It returns him to you a better man. As his commanding officer I am proud of him. He has done his duty well, and we will bid him goodby with deep regret, and wish him every success after he returns home."

E. D. Olinger of San Francisco, Calif., was visiting friends in the city yesterday.

LITERBERRY MAN PAINFULLY INJURED

Benjamin Willis Suffers Unfortunate Accident—Influenza Epidemic Subsides—Christmas Dinner at Young Home—Other Neighborhood Notes.

Literberry, Dec. 28.—Benj. Willis had the misfortune to run a nail in his foot so deep that the doctor had to operate on his foot to reach the nail. He is now suffering from a very sore foot and will be confined to his home for several days.

Garrett Wilis is still confined to his home after several weeks' illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lewis of Prentice spent a few days with home folks here this week.

The influenza epidemic is about over with at the present time, unless it breaks out again. Those convalescent are Mrs. Ratcliff and children, Mrs. John Young and daughter, Mrs. George Decker, Mrs. Scribner and children, and Barbara Cooper.

D. K. McCarty has been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hull and daughter spent Christmas with home folks in Jacksonville.

A Christmas dinner was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Young Wednesday for the relatives. A fine dinner was enjoyed by all after which the guests were invited upstairs where a fine tree awaited, loaded down with presents for the children and all present. Several of the relativs could not be present owing to the weather and sickness. Those present were W. W. Young and family, George Liter, E. B. Young and wife, John Young and daughter, Charles Young, and W. M. Young of Jacksonville.

Ed Liter returned home one day last week from Camp Taylor, where he has been since June 28th.

Miss Georgia Liter spent Xmas at the hospitable home of B. A. Johnson.

DANCE

Monday night, Degen's Hall, four piece orchestra. By Elite Social Club.

ARNOLD ELEVATOR MEETING

A meeting of the stockholders of The Arnold Farmers Elevator Co., will be held on Monday, Jan. 13th at 2 p. m., at Arnold, Ill., for the purpose of considering the matter of increasing the number of shares of capital stock of said company from 70 to 100.

J. W. Arnold
P. S. Hamilton
H. J. Rice
George Heney
Fred Hagen
Directors.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the many friends and neighbors who assisted us so kindly during the illness and death of my husband.

Mrs. Annie Connors and relatives.

ILLINOIS WOMAN'S COLLEGE NOTES

Misses Porcher and Ponsin returned after a week's visit in Chicago, the guests of a number of prominent families in that city. Plans had been made for them to speak at the Hamilton club, but the influenza conditions in Chicago made this impossible. They report a delightful time in the city and met a great many delightful people—all of whom were greatly interested in the work they were doing.

Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Nyman are expected back at the college early Sunday morning. They have been spending the vacation with relatives in Chicago.

Dr. Harker is out of the city for a few days, but is expected back in Jacksonville on Monday.

Several of the faculty remained over at the college during the Christmas holidays. The other members of the faculty will begin returning to the college early Monday, so that all will be here in time for the opening of school Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock.

In the death of Mrs. J. Ward the college has lost a loyal friend and Alumna. Mrs. Ward was very active in the work of the society and represented the alumna organization on the board of trustees. For many years she was treasurer and was greatly interested in the developing of the various scholarships named for the presidents of the college.

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Letters of Interest from Morgan County Boys in the Country's Service.

Edw. E. Waters Writes

George Lukeman has received the following from his friend, Edw. E. Waters, 123 F. A., Battery E., American E. F.:

Nov. 24, 1918.

Friend George:

Just now as I have ample time and the ban on censorship of news has been lifted somewhat, I'll try to give you some A. E. F. information regarding my travels and experiences in France since July first.

After landing at Brest, France, and recuperating a few days from the oversea voyage of ten days, my travels and sight seeing really began as that of a casual trying to locate my regiment somewhere in France. It was some task for anyone and doubly hard for a Yank who had no knowledge of the French language. At this time "Yanks" were not to be found in every town or city, however, the R. T. O. (Railway Transportation Officers) of the different allied armies were able to assist us.

I boarded a French train at Brest and started on my journey, passing thru many large cities along the western coast, namely, Chateaulin, Quimper, Lorient, Varmes, St. Nazaire, Nantes, La Roche, Ila Rachelle, Rochefort, Jouzac, Bordeaux, La Teste to a F. A. R. C. (Artillery Replacement Camp at La Courneau. Remained there 2 days when 11 of my regiment were off again. This time thru Bordeaux, Rochefort, Niort, Pathenay, Saurnur Chateaudun, Chartres, Versailles, Paris. After seeing Paris for one day we started out again in a different direction. St. Dennis, Ponroise, Neufchatel, Dieppe then Eu near La Treport on the channel. Here I was happily surprised by meeting the only person from Jacksonville I have seen in France, Jay Rodgers, who was at that time a M. P., stationed at ABBeville.

We were at Eu 10 days, a very lively place not far from the front in July. The British, Australians and Belgians also had a rest camp so one may know there was plenty of excitement. We were happy when we were sent to a camp at Noisy-le-Sac, near Paris. From there we passed thru Melun, Fontainebleau, Troyes to Isur Tille remaining there 2 days then thru Wassy, St. Dizier to Toul. We were one happy bunch when we found our regiment just a few kilometers from Fong. We then moved with the regiment up near the front remaining in a woods for two weeks, then our first real touch of war in Toul sector near St. Mihiel. Our first position for our 155mm guns was at Bouconville, 2 kilometers back of Montsec, where the French lost so many men in 1914.

September 12 the Yank drive began after firing for twelve hours on Montsec and targets near. We advanced to Xvivar, but were unable to fire as the doughboys had advanced too rapidly. There we had our first opportunity to see a real battlefield. I went thru many dugouts and trenches. This territory they had occupied since 1914 and had really made homes for themselves. Dugouts 50 to 60 feet deep constructed of concrete were common, all electrically lighted with beds, chairs and tables; in fact all comforts of life.

September 19 we were ordered to move to the Verdun sector. As our division has been split up over here we were termed as shock artillery, that is sent wherever needed. Consequently we have been attached to many different divisions. Twice to the famous 1st. For 5 nights we traveled by night only camping in some woods during the day, sleeping whenever we found time. We passed thru many towns for they are numerous in France. Commercey Pierrefitte and many others to Fluery. After resting a few days we went into position at Camp Dervin or Hill 290 ready to begin a drive which began Sept. 26. We were shelled everywhere but I'll never forget the night before the drive began. I have had several narrow escapes but that night I consider myself lucky. We were sleeping under our pup tents or tarpaulins behind our guns and to add to our discomfort it had been raining several days. About 10 p. m. Jerry sent over a few shells on our position, two of which landed about 20 feet from me. Two men were injured. I helped them up to first aid and went back to bed for I was tired having been up 5 nights before and practically no sleep during the day. In about 20 minutes Jerry sent over several shells. 3 men were injured, then the captain ordered us to change quarters. It was a miracle several of us were not killed. The tarpaulin over me had several large holes thru it and then my slicker which I had over my blankets had two holes thru it.

The following day, the 26th, we began the drive which will go down in history. The Jerries had it in for the Yanks and we had the bloodiest and stiffest sector of the western front. We fired for 8 hours and were ordered to advance. In 30 minutes we were on the move but only traveled 1 kilometer when we found the road torn up. The Huns had torn it up so the engineers were put to work so we were at a stand still for 24 hours. The light artillery pulled their pieces up by hand. This we could not do, as our pieces are much heavier and is a load for 8 horses.

Finally we advanced 4 kilometers and went into fighting position firing most of the time for four days. Then we advanced 2 kilometers to Death Valley near Very where we fired continuously for 12 days. We were constantly shelled and gassed. Fortunately we did not lose many men, but our horses sure did suffer this position. I'll never forget the sights. Airplane duels and shells or G. I. cans, as we called them, were numerous. One doesn't mind the shells so much during the day time, for you can judge the distance and see just how far you are being missed. But at night it is just whiz-bang, and you trust to good fortune.

At this position as battalion agent I was sent up to the O. P. observation post then near Epionville, just ¾ kilometer behind the German front line of trenches. I had many close calls and saw many sad sights; troops injured and killed were numerous. One can judge how stiff the fighting was in the Argonne Forest when one position was taken 7 times by the Yanks before they were able to hold it. There two divisions were consolidated to make one. One battalion of infantry das caught in a German box barrage. One man lived to tell the tale.

We fired from Death Valley position near Very the limit of our range and were ordered forward but were unable to move for the want of horses which had been killed. As a result we were relieved and sent back for equipment. We traveled two days and nights until we could not hear any more shells. It was some relief too. We remained at Ville Sur Consance 10 days then we were ordered to our present location, Douliancourt, where we were to receive tractors and trucks.

When the good news came Nov. 11 after much celebration we settled down to drilling mornings and holding athletic contests afternoons. In the meantime just waiting for further orders either to go forward again as occupation troops or homeward bound. We all have had great experiences and would have been at the front for the finish if Jerry hadn't killed so many of our horses. It is impossible to go into details regarding all happenings but I believe I have given you a vague insight of warfare and a few things we men in actual warfare must expect and contend with. After all we are glad we were able to do our bit over here without any misfortune so far. It is just a question of a speedy return to civil life. Then I can go more into detail and no doubt add a bit more to my war and army life.

I feel fine and have gained a bit in weight. Uncle Sam takes good care of his men. Clothing sufficient for warmth and comfort, food of sufficient quanities but rather a limited variety.

I don't expect to see the States for a few months. However, I'll try to bring back a few souvenirs when I do return. In the meantime just remember me to my friends.

Yours very truly,
Sgt. Edw. E. Waters.
123 F. A., Bty E.,
Amex. S. F.

Dad's Letter from France

Verdun, France,
Oct., Nov. 23, 1918.

My Dear Dad:

Since tomorrow is the big day set aside, designated and known as "Dad's Xmas Letter Writing Day," I am going to get to it in due time and have mine all written and ready to go tomorrow. No doubt you have read all about this big stunt so there is no use to explain.

Well, here goes now for all I know. To begin with I'll say we left Camp Dix on the morning of the 27th of May and rode on the train till late that night. We were taken right out on the pier on the train at Boston and there we took His Majesty's Ship "Arrawa." We sailed out of Boston harbor at shortly after daybreak in the morning of the 28th and went right up to Halifax. There we stayed till Saturday at 11:30 when our convoy assembled and we started on our long and tiresome trip across.

We were very nicely located on the ship at first and for the first four days, but after that we were moved to the "hole" and there we ate and slept till we landed in Liverpool on June 12. Of course we didn't have to stay down below all the time and believe me you could find this old boy up on deck from right after breakfast till he went to bed at night. At Liverpool we unloaded and marched right straight to a train and took a little train ride up to South Hampton and marched out to a camp there. That is where I wrote my first letter to mother and I suppose it is the one that had some parts censored out. We were there for about a day or so then we took a little boat and sailed across the English Channel to La Havre, France. We marched up into a camp there for about three days and it is here that I met Sid. Armstrong and Bill Smith. From there we took one of the dinkey French trains, which, by the way, are practically the same as those in England, and made our trip right straight to Camp DeMencan at Vaunes, France. Think I have explained that trip to you before so I shan't take time and space for that now but can tell you more about it when I get home, which I do hope is not far off.

On August 27 we left Camp Mencan, via train and "side door Pullmans" at that, for Toul. We had some train trip as I have also told before and passed thru such cities as Orleans and St. Nazariee, Nante, Tours and Dijon. It was at Toul where I had to stay on guard of the hay and it was views of this place that I sent in a little booklet form to Louise. I had to scratch out the names on each one of the cards according to censorship rules.

From Toul the boys marched to Villers en Hays and the batteries took up positions near there in the St. Mihiel sector. I joined the band there after my few days of guard duty at the station at Toul and it was at this place that the big drive in that sector started. Of course we were a safe distance back of the lines but nevertheless it was a sort of a dangerous place to be at that. Our boys made such fine headway that we soon had to move from there and it was at this move that Syrcle and I were taken up to regimental headquarters and did guard duty and other odd jobs around there. The rest of the band moved to Jazenville with the supply company and was attached to them there. Syrcle and I rejoined them ere at Jazenville and got down to real hard work again. It was here at Jazenville that we took the little stroll up on the big hill that I wrote to you about.

If mother has received a pansy pressed out in one of her letters which I sent some time ago she can boast of it as being a souvenir from Ponte Menson which is near Jazenville. I picked them as we were going thru there on our way from regimental headquarters to the band at Jazenville. We went also thru a little town by the name of Monteville which is just about 2½ kilometers from where regimental headquarters was located. Here we got into a pretty nice little vineyard and helped ourselves to some good grapes.

From Jazenville we marched over thru the Argonne forest. I think we expected to get into that big drive there but the boys had Fritz all driven out by the time we arrived, having had them out some three of four days. We came on across then and got into the big drive on Grand Pre and from there we continued our movements forward till we were stopped in a little town by the name of Germont and here we turned around and started back. We got back as far as St. Juvin and it is here that we got the first report of peace being declared. Believe me they sure had some celebration too and I say that night is one I shall never forget.

From there we continued our march on clear back here to Verdun and here we are. I want to say that we have sure gone thru a bunch of torn up towns and cities. Many of them have nothing left but a few walls and possibly a chimney or so now and then. Oh it is a terrible sight to see how those Germans destroyed the towns and property of France. I saw many beautiful cathedrals too, which have been shelled and either completely or partly ruined by the shell fire. I'll tell you that I can never forget these sights I have seen over here and altho we have all gone thru more or less hardships of all kinds we can't help but feel sorry for the poor French who have been driven from their many homes and have the houses and the entire place torn up and ruined by the German soldiers on their shell fire. It has been well worth the time and the suffering we have done over here to see and go thru this thing just as we have. Altho it has been darned hard all the time nearly since we left Camp Mencan we have stuck it out and did our bit and our regiment has been praised and spoken of many times by high officers as one of THE regiments. We have only suffered three casualties in the entire regiment, too, which is, I should judge, as good or even a little bit better record than any other regiment can boast of. One of the boys was a friend of mine in Batt. D., too, and he was struck by a shell, so didn't have a bit of suffering and didn't know what even hit him. His horse on which he was riding was also killed and all happened at the same time.

Well, Dad, I think I have told you just about all I can think of but when I get home I'll have a lot more for you. I think I told you in my last letter of seeing Ed

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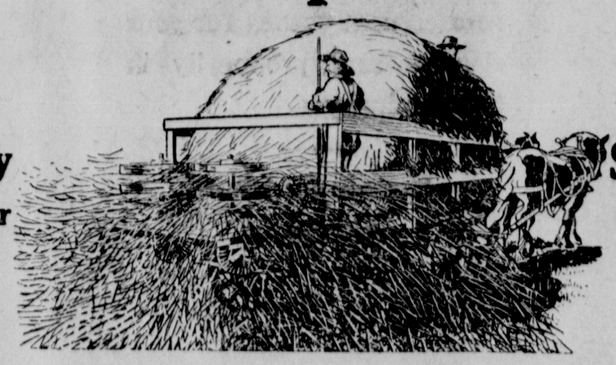
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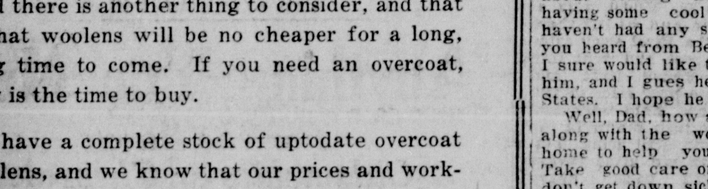
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We haven't moved yet but are expecting that word any moment now. Our band instruments are all loaded on a wagon and are down at the station now and have been for a week, but no telling when we'll go. Hope we are on our way home tho, soon.

Will close now and will answer your last letters in a day or so. Love and best Xmas wishes to you all.

Lovingly, your only son.

Frank.

From William H. Osborne.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Osborne of Murrayville have received the following letters from their son, William H. Osborne, who is in Co. I, 125th infantry, "somewhere in France." These are the first letters they have received from their son since the signing of the armistice.

The letters follow:

Somewhere in France.
Nov. 19, 1918.

Hello Dearest Loved Ones; One and All:-

How are you all? Hope this will find you all well, as it leaves me feeling fine and enjoying soldier life. I sure enjoy writing to you all for I know you like to hear from me. I sure like to hear from you all. I haven't had a letter from you. Well, one transferred letter and that was when I first came over, and I sure would like to hear from you all.

This leaves me feeling fine, I haven't been sick since I have been here, so you can see I have been doing fine and the boys say I am getting fat.

Well at last we got the kaiser's goat. I have been up to the front and over the top and got a good shot at the Dutch, and came out without a scratch on me. This is the first time I have had a chance to write since the Armistice was signed, and am writing by electric light, so you see we are out of "No Man's Land." That is sure some place, but I don't like it. I sure want to get back to old U. S. A., and we are coming back but don't know just when but sometime between now and spring.

We have a nice little home and have a good time talking about coming home. We are having some cool weather but haven't had any snow yet. Have you heard from Benjamin lately? I sure would like to hear from him, and I gues he is still in the States. I hope he is.

Well, Dad, how are you getting along with the work? Will be home to help you some time. Take good care of your self and don't get down sick. Well I will bring this to a close for this time, and don't worry about me for I am O K, and take care of your selves. Tell Benjamin to write.

With love to all and best wishes, from

Your son,
William.

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Somewhere in France.
November 27, 1918.

Dear Home Folks:

How are you? I am feeling fine, I sure enjoy writing to you all, but haven't goten any mail from you yet. Received three letters yesterday from Anna and one from Ed Wild, and was sure glad to get them. Am looking for some mail from you today. I ave a chance to write since the armistice was signed and we got out of "No Man's Land", and I am going to write as often as I can.

Well I started to write this morning and was looking for mail from you and did not get disappointed for I got two letters from you and one from Anna and was sure glad to get them. Well I haven't run across Benj. yet but would be tickled nearly to death to se him. Guess I will see him some day. Well Mama, don't talk about singing, we here are singing all the time.

Glad to know you have a good Sunday school and church. Would like to be there to go with you. Well tomorrow is Thanksgiving and we are going to have a big dinner. There are twelve boys and we are going to have chicken and everything good. Tell Mrs. Sherry she won't get to have that Christmas dinner for me, for I won't get back until about New Years's, but will be back some time in January or the first of February and maybe sooner.

I am in good company and have fine officers. There is only one Murrayville boy with me now and that is Glenn Fisher. Tracy Fisher got wounded, he was shot thru the hip and both feet. The other Murrayville boys were transferred to some other outfit and I haven't seen them for a long time.

We are still in Luxemberg yet and don't know just when we will move. It is raining this evening and we are not drilling while it is raining. Am looking for some transferred mail this evening. Well, I can tell you more about the war when I come home. Am writing some scratches in a little book to let you all see when I come home. Tell everybody hello and that I am fine and dandy.

Will close and will write again soon. God bless you all till we meet again.

Your son,
William.

P. S. We sure got the kaiser's goat for we knew where he had it tied. Ha! Ha!

George Hanning of Ashland Writes Father.

St. Agnan, France.
Nov. 24, 1918.

Dear Father -

Well as this is Father's Day thruout the A. E. F. I will try and drop you a few lines. They have lifted the censorship ban to a certain extent. I am at a large classification camp at St. Agnan not very far from Tour. Tommy can get out his geography and tell about where I am. Well, dad as the ban is lifted I guess I can tell you a little of my doings since I have been in France, left Newport News, Aug. 6 13 days on the pond, arrived at Brest 18th of August, was ther a few days and went into the central part of France, close to where I am now; was there two or three weeks when I was transferred from the 154th Inf. 39th dovision into the 32 Div. then is when I left Edd McWade, Roach and McCann. I don't know where they went to I was in my new outfit only a week when we started for the front. We got into the scrap about the first of October on the Verdun front in the Argonne Forest. I guess you read about the driving that was going on there in September and October it was sure one hard place to fight we had so much rain.

I fell out the night we were relieved, Oct. 21, so week I couldnot hit the pike till we got back, was taken to a hospital the next day. Soon got straightened up and was sent here from there to be sent baffick to my Co. Don't know when they will send me now. I see my division is walking into Germany, be hard to catch up to them I guess. This is a good place tho. Three squares a day and no work.

It sure was some great experience on the front. No on can imagine until they have been there. Take it from me the boys in khaki did some fighting up there.

You can't imagine the work Uncle Sam has done in this country in the short time he has been into it and was just getting to where he could strike a stronger blow than ever. I guess the Huns knew it. Is Tommy chasing the quail? I would like to get back to my company, I think I would have some mail. There surely ought to. Did you get the letter I wrote you about the first of October?

I see they are beginning to demobilize in the States. Don't know when they will get us started across.

The sick and wounded start right away. Sure would like to know if John and Aton got thru. If they are over here. I am pretty certain Aton would, but John was in a dangerous branch of the service.

I guess the corn crop was cut short by the dry weather. There isn't any corn over here at all It seems kind of queer for me not to be jumping into the frosts those mornings. Well I guess you will be tired by the time you get all of this read. So I will close, hoping this will find you all well and that I will see you before long.

As ever,
Your son,
Private George E. Hanning.
Co. M, 12th7., Infantry,
A. P. O., 734,
A. E. F.

From Private James Weir.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Weir, of 614 South Fayette street, have received the following letter from their son, Private James Oscar Weir, dated Nov. 24, 1918:

Somewhere in France.

Dear Mother and Father:-

I received your kind and welcome letter and was truly glad to hear from you; glad to know that you all were well. It found me well and doing well. This is Sunday night and I thought that I would spend a part of it in writing to you. What is wrong with Bessie, Mama, that she has not written to me? She didn't answer my letter which I wrote her when I was in Camp Grant. I would like to hear from her.

Tell Mr. T. A. Chapin I would like for him to be over here and hear these big shells go over his head. They would make his hair stand on his head, but after you get used to them, you like to hear them. They sure make some music but you want to be looking for a dugout when they begin to fall close to you. I have seen some of the boys since I have been over here.

This is sure some fine country. It is not very cold over here yet.

Iam glad that you are making good in your store. The boys are all in good spirits, they have better times over here than they do at home. When I get home I can tell you all more about it.

I guess you read in the papers about Co. A, 80Srd., going over the top. That was our company. How are the babies getting along? Tell the rest of the boys that they missed the best part of their lives by not coming over here. We all enjoyed the trip over and also the rest of the work. If you believe me you sure have to work in the army.

You ought to see the French homes where those big shells hit them. It just tore them all to pieces. It is really a shame the way they have done the French homes. The French language is some hard for me to learn. I can not get my tongue fixed just right to say any thing. Some of the boys can talk it just like the French. Where is LeFount Andrews, have his people heard from him?

I have not heard from or seen Dr. Josephine Milligan yet. Please give Dr. Grace Dewey my address and ask her to send it to Dr. Milligan. I would like to hear from her.

I can hardly explain my self about this country over here. I know one thing. They sure raise fine gardens and a lot of sugar beets over here and they sure do have some fine roads and they also have some funny trains. Now and then you see a U. S. engine but the French trains can sure run some.

Tell Clinton I will tell him something about fighting in the army when I get home.

Well, Mama, I will close with lots of love to you both.

Your son,
James Oscar Weir.

From Ed Gustafson

Oscar Gustafson has received the following letter from his brother Ed Gustafson:

Camp Souge, France,
Nov. 15, 1916.

Dear Brother:

Your letter came today and am going to write you a short letter in reply. Well, it seems that we have about finished our job of knocking the hell out of Heligoland, the people here in France are celebrating every day, our band has made several trips to Bordeaux and other places to help celebrate. One night when we played a parade in Bordeaux we had a special guard of about 50 to keep the crowd away from the band. I never saw such a crowd in my life. The town was decorated with flags of all the allies. Bordeaux is a city of about 300,000 people and is a very pretty place. It is about 15 miles from this camp and we make the trip by army trucks. Our regiment has just completed their course of training here and would have been sent to the front this week if the "Germs" had not quit. We may be here several months after peace is declared. We don't know how long. They have just brought in a bunch of German prisoners and we all went over to take a look at them. They seem to be satisfied with their lot. We have heard that there is quite an epidemic of Spanish influenza in the States. There have been some cese here in this camp but I have not had it yet and am feeling fine. Have had a few frosty mornings but otherwise the weather is very fine. Well, will have to close and hit the hay. Will write more later. So long.

Mus. E. J. Gustafson.
Hdqrs. Co. 143rd F. A.,
American E. F., France.

From Albert Yarding

Relatives here have received the following letter from Albert Yarding, of the 128th Inf., Hdq. Co., now in France. The young man was wounded in the left arm just three days prior to the cessation of hostilities and was in the base hospital when he wrote the letter, which is given below:

Somewhere in France,
Oct. 18, 1918.

My Dear Mother and Father:

As I haven't heard from any one since I have been in France will try and write a few lines again. I know some one has written to me before this time but I have been transferred several times so you see that is why I do not get my mail.

I am writing this letter from the front lines. Have been in two battles and came thru O. K. We are doing our best and hope to win this war soon. I know you just worry yourself to death about me, but there isn't any use of that now, as I will come thru O. K. and some fine day I will be home. I often wonder if you are still on the farm and how you are getting along. How is Anna and George and Mary? Is she still at home? I think of home every day and all the time. Often wish we could all be back but we are going to win this war first.

How is the weather at home? It has been raining here for the past week but today the sun is shining.

Well, I have been in France just two months today and if I could write and tell you what I have seen and gone thru it would make a large book, so will wait until I come home and tell you all about it. But still I haven't had a very hard time of it at that. This climate over here agrees with me fine. I haven't been sick a minute since I have been in France.

We get all we want to eat. My gun crew is in one billet and we have a stove and we do a great deal of our own cooking. I had milk toast this morning and the boys are making pan cakes now. So you see we have lots of fun along with our hardships, just the same as it is any place else. But don't worry about me. We are just as happy as the day I left Jacksonville. Even on the battlefield we boys have our jokes and fun, even tho the shells are bursting around us. It doesn't pay to be downhearted in this game. I do not think this war will last much longer, at least I hope not.

I wonder if O. K. Taylor sold my car and how did you get along with my wheat and corn? I haven't drawn any mnoey since I have been in the army and when I do I will send it home. I do not need money here.

Well, I will close now, hoping this will find you all well and happy as it leaves me. Be sure and write me at once, as I surely want to hear from home.

From your loving soldier,
Albert Yarding.

128th Inf. Hdq. Co.,
A. P. O. 734.

Somewhere in France,
Nov. 17th, 1918.

My Dear Sister:

I wrote you a letter a few days ago but as I was not feeling very well then I did not write much.

This is Sunday afternoon and I am at the Red Cross writing this letter and I feel very much at home, as the Victrola is playing, and say, it sounds good to me after two months at the front with only the music of the big guns. So you can imagine how happy I am to be here.

I was wounded the 8th of Nov. just three days before the great battle was over. Was hit by shrapnel in the left arm but am getting along fine. Have been in base hospital one week but expect to return to my company soon.

Well, sister, you asked in your last letter about my trip across. I was pretty seasick but we had fine weather. I don't suppose it will be so nice and warm when I cross again.

You said you wished you were over here. Well, I don't know, Sis. I am rather glad you are not. Believe me, it is much better in the hospital where you are.

Did Mother go to Chicago? I know she will be happy now that she knows I am still alive.

You wanted to know in my next letter if I would not miss what I

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have seen for a million dollars. Well, no, I don't believe I would now that it is over, but I wouldn't go through it again for that. I had two letters from Fletcher and several others.

I have seen some very beautiful country but don't believe I would care to stay here the rest of my days.

I suppose you and Louise will be home when I get there. It will be one great day in Jacksonville when we come in, like the day we went out. We sure will be a happy bunch. Ewing Eck is over here some place, just wish I could see him. Well I have written all I know so will close. I hope to get some mail when I get back to my company. As ever,

Your loving brother,

Albert.

M. G. Walker Writes Brother

Somewhere in France,
Nov. 13, 1918.

Mr. Roland Walker,
Jacksonville, Ill.

Dear Brother and all:

Will take the pleasure of dropping you a few lines tonight. This leaves me in the best of health and hope when this reaches you it will find you all the same.

Yesterday's paper says the war is won and peace as soon as possible. That sure does sound good to all of us, believe me. A chaplain told me today that a squad of Germans came across the lines shaking hands with the American boys and wanting something to eat. This happened while I was attending a funeral of six American boys. I consider myself a lucky one in this war, but it is like the chaplain said, the good Lord has spared us. Lots are moving back from the front. Things sure are quiet; the quietest it has been since the war started. The sound of artillery on this front has never ceased since the war started, day or night. Everybody over here now is right up on their ear. Never were so happy in our lives. Money wouldn't buy my experience but sure would hate to think I had to go thru it again. I guess you received the $70.00 I sent through the Y. M. C. A. Stella asked if I had heard from Anna. Yes. I have heard from all of them.

Some of the boys are singing, "Fly Away Home." Sure sounds good and some are hallowing, "I want to go home don't you." I say we do. I certainly will be some different brother when I get out of this and most all of us will be. It teaches a person to appreciate when he has something. I am just thinking of many dear mothers who will be heart broken when the word has flashed to them that their son has fallen on the battle field. Oh! You don't know how it makes a fellow feel to see it. We'll not have it so bad after peace has been signed if we don't get back for awhile. After being over here six months we get a service stripe. We get ours in a few weeks. I will send the Boche helmet when I can get some U. S. stamps. I have a few Boche souvenirs if I don't lose them. ou will be almost thru gathering corn by the time you get this letter. I have only seen one stalk of corn since I came over here. The Germans were farming where we are now. Sure were counting on staying; had rye and wheat just up good and hay in the barns. We are now in a town or a piece of one. Have got the lights or candles and these old fire places burning. Lots of the cars are running with the lights on. It will not look right to me when we get back unless I see all the buildings in ruin. I owe some more letters but don't feel like wrtiing them tonight but I would write to you folks if I had to do it with my feet, that is if I had no hands. The weather over here now is about like it is there this time of year. DYays are sure short. We are glad our captain is coming back tomorrow. Has been gone three months.

Will bring this to a close as it is time to retire.

I am as ever your brother,
Pvt. M. G. Walker.
Depot Company,
1st Corps Artillery Park,
American Ex. Forces.

Guy Downs Writes from France.

Mrs. Guy E. Downs is in receipt of a letter from her husband who has been over seas since about the middle of September:

Somewhere in France,
Nov. 28, 1918.

Well this is Thanksgiving Day and I sure have lots of things to be thankful for. One thing is that I am well and feeling fine. I received two letters from you, one from Freds and one from W. F. Cook, so I am getting my mail pretty often. Glad to know you were well. I think it is a wise idea for you to stay close at home and keep out of the influenza.

All of the boys in my company are well, most of them gaining in weight.

I think I am some heavier than I was when I left the States.

You wanted to know if I was with any of the boys I left with. I am with Francis and William Doolin and wherever you see one of us, you see the three of us. They are both well and gaining in weight.

You wanted to know if I had heard the guns. I was not able to hear anything else but big guns until the 11th of November.

It is sure quiet over here now, and when the airplanes were in action you could hardly count them. I have been up at the front doing my part for some time so you need not worry about me for I will be coming back to the old U. S. some of these days, and I sure will never regret my trip for I have seen so many things it would take longer to tell it than the war has lasted. So I will tell you the rest when I get home.

Well, it is dinner time so must go and eat. Wish I could be there today and help you eat turkey. Answer soon.

From

Guy E. Downs.
Co. L., 22nd Engineers, 4th Bn.,
American E. F., via New York.

From Pvt. Edwin Perbix

The following letter has just reached Mr. and Mrs. William Perbix of Chapin, from their son, Private Edwin P. Perbix, who is with the American forces overseas:

Linroges, France, 11, 22, 1918.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Perbix,

Dear Folks:

Will now write you a few lines today to let you know I am still alive and at the hospital. Am feeling pretty good at present. Was examined and put in class D the other day, but expect to be reclassed most any time. If I am not I will be sent back to the states most any time.

My company is marching into Germany at present, so I will not be apt to be sent back to them, but would like to see some of the boys, as I have been gone from them for nearly one month. Wish I were at home for Thanksgiving dinner. We are going to have a big dinner at the hospital.

Well I was on the lines for three weeks, and it rained on us nearly every day. I was wringing wet and muddy as a hog. You could not tell what color my overcoat was as it was so muddy. I had my gun torn all to pieces, by shrapnel one day and it would have gotten me if I hadn't been in my dugout. We always dug us a hole in the ground to protect us from shrapnel and machine gun fire.

I sure had several narrow escapes. Have had bullets put thru my overcoat and that was close enough for me. A machine gun kept me behind a big tree one day for about an hour and the bark was sure being torn off all around my head.

I have seen air bombs dropped that would tear holes in the ground 25 feet deep. Will sure have lots to tell you when I get home, a lot more than I can tell you in this letter. The Germans have sure feared the Sammies ever since they arrived upon the front.

I guess all of the boys from home are being sent back from the camps. I bet Dan never even saw a camp. Did he? Well, Pa, tell everybody around Chapin hello for me, and that I hope to see them all before many more months pass. So I will close for this time, hoping this finds you all well.

Your son,
Pvt. Edwin P. Perbix.
Co. L, 127 Lnfantry
Base Hospital 28,
A. E. F., A. P. O. 753.

From. Sergt. F. B. Luthy.

T. L. Cannon is in receipt of a letter from his nephew, Sergt. F. B. Luthy "Somewhere in France." The young soldier said: "This is Father's Day and I will write to the only 'dad' I know of." His letter follows:

Nov. 24, 1918.

Dear Uncle Tom:

This is Father's Day and so I will write to the only Dad I know of. We received an announcement today that we should all write Dad a letter and tell him all about the war, as the censor ship lifts and we can write about anything we want. I think that I can tell you about it better when I get home and I don't think that it will be very long.

As you have probably read, the 32nd is in the army of occupation and are taking to the Rhine. I was sent away from the company four days ago and they were then in Longwy, a town just 8 miles from the border of Luxembourg. I am at an infantry training school in Gondecourt. One officer and one Sergt. were picked from each company, and I was the Sergt. picked from my company. It is a large school of about 2,400 students and we are to study and learn infantry specialties and teach the company when we return just what we learn here.

Well Uncle Tom, I am now a Sergt., as you know and I worked my way with no help from any one and under conditions where some failed as I was made when the company was on the front. I hope that you will not be ashamed of pour "son" when you receive his "Father's Letter."

We were on the front line and ready to go over the top when a runner came up and told us the armistice was signed. I will always remember the morning of Nov. 11th as the time I was probably as happy as I will ever be. After nine months in France and just ready for another trip after the Boche, to hear it was called off was like a new lease on life.

Next Thursday is Thanksgiving and for the first time I think I have certainly an awful lot to be thankful for. I have fought and been under shell fire for 6 months and have never been scratched and expect to be home soon.

Well, I will close with lot of love to all the folks,

Sergt. F. B. Luthy,
Co. C., 125th Inf.
A. E. F.

From Corp. Leo Lahey.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Lahey have received the following letters from their son, Corporal Leo T. Lahey, who is with Co. L. 22nd Engineer overseas:

Somewhere in France,
November 19, 1918

Dear Folks:

Will try and write you a few lines to let you know that I am fine and dandy and hope you are the same and that everybody is well. Guess you are getting anxious to hear from me. I had a letter from Katie the other day and was so glad to hear from her.

Guess Dad and the boys are shucking corn. I hope it is good this year. I havn't seen an ear of corn since I left the U. S. A. I never saw anything but wheat in England and cattle here in France. They have the biggest cows I ever saw. All I could see of Ireland was moss, but it surely is a pretty place. We are billeted rightin front of a Catholic church.

The churches here are as thick as houses at home and some of them are so nice. I saw a fine one in a large town not far from here. We have a nice place to work and we are where we can buy candy or cigars if we want them. We got paid the other day I drew $65 for Aug. and Sept. pay. I had $42 left from my September pay when I had paid by insurance. We signed the pay roll for October and will get it in a few days. I had $18 left from what I brought over from the U. S. A. with me. After I get paid for October I am going to send home some for if I don't spend too much I will have over $100 and I might lose it or get robbed. How is Francis. Tell him to write to me and tell me how everything is. Katie said he was going to school.

You may not get my insurance papers for some time but you will get them after a while. I am sending you a card so you can send me a box for Xmas but I do not believe you will get it in time to send anything and you need not worry if you dont for I can get all the candy I want here.

I had sent Margaret a letter. Did she get it and how does she like her job?

Where are all the boys? I sure look for the lads over here but never have seen anybody I knew. Guess they are in another part of France. Billie Doolin ran across a Cooney boy from Jacksonville the other day. Billie and Francis Doolin and I are sure great pals. They were in my squad until the other day and they were changed but we still bunk together. Us and Glen Drake.

Well I must write some more letters while I have the envolopes and paper. Tell the girls to write often for I like to get letters from home and tell dad not to worry for I am all right and may soon be home.

Write soon to you loving son,
Leo T. Lahey,
Co. L. 22 Engineers,
A. E. F.

Somewhere in France,
Nov. 18, 1918.

Dear Mother:

Will drop you a line to let you know that I am alright and hope you are the same. I havn't had much mail for a long time but I am looking for a letter from home every day. I had a letter from Margaret and she said you and papa were not very well and that Oliver was sick too. How is Francis? Why don't he ever write to me any more?

I surely hated to hear of Billie Hanning's death. Billie Doolin got the piece out of the paper the other day about the funeral. They surely wrote a nice piece about him. I hated to leave him at Camp Merritt and did not even get to tell him good bye.

Well, mama, I am tired so won't write any more as I am in a hurry. Guess Arthur got over here too late to see much of the fun, but I guess some of the boys from around there got to see part of it before it was over. Will try and write sooner than I did this time, but we have been busy.

Tell papa and all the rest hello and write soon.

Your loving son,
Corporal Leo T. Lahey,
Co. L., 22nd Engineers.
A. E. F.

Tell me about where the other boys are:

From Sergt. F. T. Bolton.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Bolton of 703 South Diamond street have received the following letter from their son, Fred T. Bolton, who is now with the army of occupation in France:

Stenay, France, Nov. 24, 1918.

Dear Dad:

Here goes for a "Dads Christmas letter" and I hope you get it not later than that happy time. It will serve in a small way as a substitute for my presence at home on that day.

You will no doubt have read from newspapers by the time you receive this that our division is part of the third army which constitutes the "Army of Occupation" so I presume we will have our goose? dinner somewhere in the fatherland among the Fritzies, but I don't expect them to be as pleased to see us as the folks back home. We may be unwelcome but we are going just the same.

I received a letter from you today written on the 27th of September and one of the important things therein was your statement that you were blue and often become lonesome and sometimes thought you had lost your nerve.

Buck up Dad you haven't lost your nerve and there is a bright side to things for the war is over. We will soon be home. We won the war. We have plenty to eat. We have plenty of warm clothes and one thing most pleasing to me is the fact that I came; I saw, I was in it (up to my neck sometimes) and I was shot at and missed along with some hundreds of thousands of others and I am still here just as lousy as ever, so why isn't there a bright side to things? I expect to be home some months hence and slap my Dad on the back and say, "Well I'm here, bring on the fatted calf," and when I get home, you and I will proceed to enjoy ourselves. So be as happy as I am and you will be tickled to death and I am just as thankful too for being here for I have had to move fast and duck faster to be writing this Christmas letter to dad, but all that is past now and to say I am glad and happy is putting it mighty mild.

You were right in assuming I was in the second army at the time you wrote. We were just finishing our time in the second army and the St. Mihiel drive at about that time and we left there and came to the First army after a twelve day rest and went into the Argonne-Meuse fight and have been there ever since so you see we have had hard work and much of it and now we are in the Third army and still going. Yesterday morning we hiked twelve kilometers full pack, heavy marching order and tomorrow, November 25, we rise at 4:45, have breakfast at 5:20 a. m. and hit the road at 7 in heavy marching order for a 25 kilometer hike.

We will be in Belgium tomorrow night. If we go where I think we are going we have 150 kilometers to go. I think it is Coblenz, Germany. That hike of 150 kilometers as well as some of the other work we have done separates the men from the boys, Dad, and I have every confidence that I shall be right with the crowd when we reach our destination.

We landed at Cherbourg, France, rode by rail to St. Blin. Was there for two weeks when I was sent to school at Longres, returned to my company after a month of school at Lucy in the St. Mihiel sector and from these the drive started. We advanced through Flirey, St. Bazoint, Naviont, Essey to Eusezin where I was when we left that sector. We moved out of that place at night, (raining as usual) and very dark by truck for Commercy near Verdun. I thought that night that we would end up in No Man's Land for we were lost many times but we finally arrived at Commercy, safely, and as to be expected, all-in.

We remained at Commercy (well behind the lines) for two days, a small inhabited city where you could buy stuff, steak, eggs, cookies, fruit and some chocolate—quite a treat I assure you, and oh! Yes, beer. I nearly forgot that. From Commercy to Recicourt on all night ride in a truck (joined the first army there) remained two days and hiked about 20 kilometers to the Argonne forest near Monfacicon.

We were getting close to Fri[e] by this time. Our progress afte[r]

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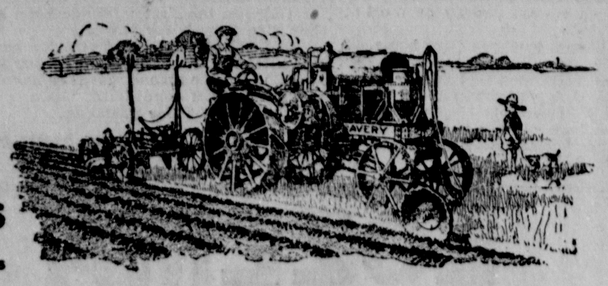
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If you have anything in this line please phone during the day.
BELL 215—ILL. 355.
After 6 p. m. or on Sunday call Bell 611 or Ill. 934.
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RAILWAY TIME TABLES

CHICAGO & ALTON
North Bound
No. 10, "The Hummer," daily 1:32 a m
No. 70, Chicago-Peoria Express, daily 6:20 a m
No. 16 arrives from St. Louis daily except Sunday 12:05 p m
No. 14 Bloomington and Peoria local arrives at 4:55 p m
No. 30 arrives from St. Louis daily 8:55 p m
South and West Bound
No. 17 St. Louis Accommodation departs daily 6:45 a m
No. 15 St. Louis-Kansas City Local daily 10:15 a m
No. 17 St. Louis-Mexico Accommodation, departs daily except Sunday 3:15 p m
No. 71 Kansas City "Hummer," daily 8:45 p m
North of Bloomington daily except Sunday.

WABASH
East Bound
No. 72 local frt. ex. Sunday 10:20 a m
No. 12 daily 9:00 p m
No. 28 daily 2:28 a m
No. 4 daily 8:10 a m
No trains stop at Junction.
West Bound
No. 9 daily 12:45 p m
No. 73 local frt. ex. Sunday 12:20 p m
No. 3 daily 8:10 a m
No. 15 5:20 p. m.

C. P. & ST. L.
North Bound
No. 36, daily 7:40 a m
No. 35 returns 11:30 a m
No. 38 leaves 2:50 p m
No. 37 arrives 6:42 p m

BURLINGTON ROUTE
North Bound
No. 47, daily ex. Sunday 11:20 a m
No. 11, daily ex. Sunday 4:30 p m
South Bound
No. 12, daily ex. Sunday 5:55 p m
No. 47, daily ex. Sunday 8:08 p m

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OMNIBUS

WANTED

WANTED—Place to work half days. 511 S. Church street. 12-28-6t.

WANTED—Fresh stock field. J. W. Arnold. Both phones. 11-15-tf.

WANTED—A good second hand farm sled. H. R., care Journal. 12-29-2t.

WANTED—Good second hand range. Address Range, care Journal. 12-29-1t.

WANTED—Student desires room and board, private home, near Illinois College. Address "85," care Journal. 12-28-2t.

WANTED—Place to do housework by the week—have small child. 132 E. Wolcott St. 12-29-2t.

WANTED—To buy five passenger car; must be late model and fully equipped. Adress Car, care Journal. 12-29-2t.

WANTED—Position as stenographer or bookkeeper by young man; experienced. Address E. E., care Journal. 12-27-3t.

CASH FOR OLD FALSE TEETH (broken or not.) I pay $2.00 to $25.00 per set, also highest prices for Briges, Crowns, Watches, Diamonds, Old Gold, Silver and Platinum. Send NOW and receive CASH by return mail, your goods returned if price is unsatisfactory. L. Mazer, 2007 S. 5th Street, Philadelphia, Pa. 11-22-1mo.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Two newspaper carriers. Apply Joseph Estaque. 12-28-2t.

WANTED—Girl to wrap bread. Apply Jacksonville Bakery Co. 12-29-1t.

WANTED—Laundress at Old Peoples' Home. 12-29-3t.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in country. Bell ohpne Alexander 24. 12-17-tf.

WANTED—Woman to do general housework. Apply 816 West State. Ill. phone 210. 12-27-tf.

WANTED—Man to sell trees, shrubs, roses, vines, bulbs, etc. Permanent. Brown Brothers Nurseries, Rochester, N. Y. 12-29-1t

WANTED—Man and wife; man to attend to furnace, wife to cook for family of three; good home and wages. Address "Service," care of Journal. 12-29-tf.

MEN—Age 17 to 55. Experience unnecessary. Travel; make secret investigations, reports. Salaries; expenses. American Foreign Detective Agency, 218, St. Louis. 12-29-1t.

FARM LANDS—Minnesota Volstead Lands. No residence required. Government gives title immediately. Money making proposition for wide awake agent. Write us. Box 911, Thief River Falls, Minnesota. 12-29-1t.

WANTED—Two machinists; one must be competent to operate Boye and Emmes thirty six inch Engine Lathe and Jones and Lamson Turret Machine; one for bench and floor assembly, laying out, fitting a man that knows four cylinder gasoline engine work preferred. Both positions permanent to sober, industrious men. Eli Company, Roodhouse, Ill. 12-29-1t.

AGENTS—World's Record on War Books — Big Scoop. Our patriotic Red, White and Blue insert for soldier's photograph and military record in front of War Book endorsed by Gen. March sells it on sight We have exclusive right. Patriotic insert helped Geitgey sell 45 books first 2½ hours. Insert boosts sales and sells best bindings. Best terms. Prompt shipment. Freight paid. Credit given. Act quickly. Send 10c for postage on magnificent free outfit. Baldwin Co., Cleveland, O., 314 Rockefeller Bldg. 12-29-2t.

STOCK SALESMEN—Financial house has opening for five $1,000 per month stock salesmen to follow up live leads which cost up from $10 to $15 a piece in small towns. Strong selling issue. Have active endorsement of many prominent men. 25 to 30 leads when salesman starts—more continuously. Excellent references required. Address, Sales Manager, 2952 Chicago Ave., Chicago, Ill. 12-29-1t

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Houses always The Johnston Agency. 12-1-tf.

FOR RENT—Three rooms and large garden. 762 Hardin avenue. 11-20-tf.

FOR RENT—Two rooms; modern; unfurnished; also two stalls for cars. Norman Dewees, 518 North Church street. 12-12-tf.

FOR RENT—Five room house; modern, 907 Allen Ave. Ill. phone 50-1325. John A. Fernandes. 12-23-1t

FREE RENT—Furnished heated room to single woman in exchange for slight daily service. Address, Free, care Journal. 12-27-3t.

FOR RENT—9 room house, 314 W. College avenue. Inquire F. J. Degen 320 Franklin street. Ill. phone 954. [illegible] 12-18-tf.

FOR RENT—Eight room house. Spaulding Place; front and back porch; furnace; well; cistern; $15.00. Apply 116 Spaulding or call Ill. 50-891. 12-21-tf.

FOR RENT—Six room house on South Diamond street. Call Bell phone county 975-2. 12-1-tf

FOR RENT—5 room cottage, 636 S. Church St. John Cherry, Both phones 850. 11-10-tf.

FOR RENT — Special — Nicely furnished flat; heat and every modern convenience; also several cottages in good condition, and larger houses, modern. The Johnston Agency 12-29-tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Choice Duroc Boars. Ill phone 093. David Lonelino. 12-16-12t

FOR SALE—Two Jersey cows and calf. Ill. phone 741. 12-27-6t.

FOR SALE—Stoddard-Dayton car, is in fine shape. Has electric lights, 221 South Main street. 12-21-6t.

FOR SALE—Restaurant doing good business. Address X Y Z, care Journal. 12-28-6t.

FOR SALE—First class Barred Rock Cockerels. Calvin Lawson. Bell phone 921-3. 12-6-21t.

FOR SALE—White Rock Cockerels. Mrs. Ed Leach, Winchester, Ill. 12-1-1mo.

FOR SALE—Percheron Stallion, 6 years old; weight 1600. Bell 1512. Alexander. 12-28-5t.

FOR SALE—A farm of 100 acres, 6 miles southwest of Jacksonville. John Whalen, R. 2 12-1-1mo.

KEEP IN MIND—Bred sow sale Feb. 19, 1919. Austin Patterson. 12-15-1mo.

FOR SALE—Silverware; high grade, full set knives, forks and spoons, practically new, ½ cost. The Johnston Agency. 12-29-tf.

FOR SALE—Baby carriage and china cabinet. 241 Webster Ave. 12-2[illegible]

FOR SALE—F. and E. check writer; Bargain. J. A. Paschall coal office. 12-29-3t.

FOR SALE—Choice clover hay, baled or loose. Bell phone 334-4. 12-29-1t.

FOR SALE—Farms in Morgan and Greene counties; bargains. See me quick. C. O. Bayha, Room 4, Unity Bldg. 12-29-4t.

FOR SALE—A pair of black Shire colts, ready for work in the spring; also other colts. H. E. Garrison, Bell phone 727. 12-28-3t.

FOR SALE—Finest Barred Rock Cockerels, large boned, well marked. Mrs. T. J. Priest, Winchester, Ill. 12-13-18t.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—I have some good farms and city property for sale or trade. What have you to offer? S. T. Erixon 11-12-tf.

FOR SALE—Cottage at No. 1221 Park Place; also lot No 119 Car Shops Addition. Apply M. C. Hook and Co. 12-22-6t.

FOR SALE—10 acres on W. Michigan avenue. M. A. Collins, Ill. phone 1198. 12-29-3t.

FOR SALE—Twelve extra good Poland China shoats, weight about 60 pounds. Call R. M. Goltra, Bell 905-4. 12-29-3t.

FOR SALE—Snap; 240 acres level, well improved west central Illinois valley corn farm. Don't overflow; all cultivated; joins good town. No better land in Illinois. Worth $300 acre. For quick sale, easy terms, only $200 acre. Give possession first March. Best bargain in Illinois. Particulars write Box 194, Jacksonville, Illinois. 12-29-1t.

MISCELLANEOUS

TRUCKING and all kinds of heavy hauling. W. H. Dunphy, White Hall, Ill. Ill. phone 303. Bell 107. 11-7-1mo

BAGGAGE AND TRANSFER and hauling with a one ton truck. Illinois phone 1278. Bell 778. 12-1-tf.

MONEY TO LOAN ALWAYS—The Johnston Agency. 12-1-tf.

CALL WOOD'S for taxi for clubs, parties and trains; baggage transfer; auto for country trips. Either phone 174. Office 210 East Court St. 11-17-tf.

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate security. M. C. Hook and Co. 11-28-tf.

TO LEND—Up to $16,000 on one farm and smaller amounts. W. E. Veitch, 208 Scott Block. 12-29-3t.

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WALL PAPER—8c a roll up. F. L. Smith, 120 East Morton avenue, Ill Phone 1532. 11-30-tf.

TYPEWRITER bargains; ribbons Laning. 706 Ayers Bank Bldg. 11-28-1co.

MONEY—Parties wishing to borrow, better arrange now, as it will be much more difficult to get later on. See C. O. Bayha, Room 4, Unity Bldg. 12-29-4t.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Christmas day,, pocket medicine case between Ogle's barn and Stansfield Baldwin's. Return and get reward. Dr. Wolfe. 12-29-2t.

LOST—Package wrapped in C. C. Phelps Co. paper. Call Bell 650. 12-29-1t.

ADMINISTRATOH'S NOTICE
Estate of Eleanor Josephine Cashin Deceased.
The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Eleanor Josephine Cashin late of the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Morgan County, at the Court House in Jacksonville, at the February term, on the first Monday in February next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.
All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 21st day of December A. D. 1918.
MIKE CASHIN,
Administrator.

NOTICE.
STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss.
County of Morgan }
In the County Court thereof.
January Term, A. D. 1919.
In the Matter of Conservatorship of Timothy Crotty, an insane person.
To all persons concerned:
Notice is hereby given to all persons concerned that the undersigned, P. J. Crotty, conservator of Timothy Crotty, an insane person, heretofore filed his petition in the County Court of the County of Morgan, in the State of Illinois, to the January Term, A. D. 1919 thereof, praying for an order of said court, directing him to sell the real estate in the said petition described, and hereinafter described, for the payment of debts of his said ward, and you are notified that on Monday, the 6th day of January, A. D. 1919, the undersigned will appear before the said County Court and ask for an order to sell the real estate in his petition described, and which real estate is described as follows, to wit: the undivided one fourth interest in and to six hundred and fifty five feet off of the north end of Lot Forty Two (42) in College Hill Addition to the Town (now City) of Jacksonville, Morgan County, Illinois, and you may be present and resist such application if you see fit.
P. J. CROTTY,
Conservator of Timothy Crotty, an insane person.
Bellatti, Bellatti & Moriarity, Solicitors for petitioner.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE
Estate of Martha Vantuyl Deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Martha Vantuyl late of the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Morgan County, at the Court House, in Jacksonville, Illinois, at the February Term, on the first Monday in February next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.
All parties indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.
Dated this 21st day of December A. D. 1918.
CHARLES A. JOHNSON,
Executor.

Furnished by James E. Bennett Co. 332 West State St., Huntoon Bldg.

	Open	High	Low	Close
CORN—				
Jan.	1.42	1.43½	1.41¼	1.43½
Feb.	1.38	1.38¼	1.36½	1.36½
May	1.36¾	1.37	1.35½	1.36½
OATS—				
Jan.	.68⅞	.69¼	.68⅜	.69¼
Feb.	.69¼	.69½	.68⅜	.69⅜
May	.69½	.70⅛	.69	.70⅛
PORK—				
Jan.	47.20	47.25	47.20	47.25
May	43.00	43.10	43.00	43.10
LARD—				
Jan.	23.80	23.87	23.77	23.87
May	24.00	24.07	23.90	24.05
RIBS—				
Jan.	25.02	25.07	25.02	25.07
May	23.75	23.75	22.65	23.77

ST. LOUIS CASH GRAIN MARKET
St. Louis, Dec. 28.—Corn—1c higher; good demand; No. 4 mixed $1.56; No. 3 yellow $1.58; No. 5 yellow $1.53; No. 4 white $1.55; No 5 white $1.53.

Local Food Price Bulletin

REVISED FOOD PRICES
(Approved by Food Administration)
The following prices for foodstuffs in Jacksonville have been approved by the food administration. The prices are given which the retailer pays and which the consumer should pay:

Articles—	Retailer Pays	Consumer Should Pay
Bread, 1 pound	8c	9c to 10c
Bread, 1½ pounds	12c	14c to 15c
Beans, navy	11½c to 12c	14c to 16c
Beans, lima	15c to 16c	18c to 20c
Butter, creamery	67c	73c to 75c
American cheese, whole	38c to 40c	41c to 45c
American cheese, cut	38c to 40c	45c to 50c
Butterine	35c to 37c	40c to 43c
Eggs	50c to 54c	55c to 60c
Wheat flour, ½ bbl. or more	$5.40 to 5.85	$5.90 to 6.45
Wheat flour, ¼ bbl. or more	$2.75 to 2.93	$3.05 to 3.35
Flour, bulk, per 10 lbs.	55c to 60c	65c to 70c

Articles—	Retailer Pays	Should Pay Consumer
Rice flour	9c to 10c	11c to 12c
Rolled oats	6c to 6½c	7½c to 8c
Rice	9c to 12c	13c to 15c
Buckwheat flour	7½c to 7¾c	8c to 8½c
Cracked hominy	5c to 6c	6½c to 7½c
Hominy grits	5c to 6c	6½c to 7½c
Lard	29c to 30c	31c to 35c
Lard compound	24c to 26c	26c to 32c
Bacon, 4 to 6 pounds, whole piece	52c to 53c	58c to 60c
Bacon, 8 to 10 pounds, whole	45c to 47c	51c to 55c
Whole hams	34c to 36c	40c to 43c
Usual diferential for sliced ham or bacon.		
Milk, large	14c to 16c	15c to 18c
Milk, condensed	20c	23c to 25c
Corn syrup, dark, 10 pound cans	62c to 65c	74c to 80c
Corn syrup, dark, 5 pound cans	33c to 35c	40c to 44c
Corn syrup dark, 1½ pound cans	11c to 13c	14c to 15c
Corn syrup, white, 10 pound cans	70c to 75c	74c to 90c
Corn syrup, white, 5 pound cans	27c to 35c	45c to 48c
Corn syrup, white, 1½ pound cans	12c to 13c	14c to 16c
Potatoes, 15 lb. lots, new	35c to 40c	42c to 50c
Salmon, Red Alaska, dozen	$3.15 to $3.25	30c to 35c
Prunes, 40-50	19c to 20c	22c to 25c
Prunes, 60-70	12c to 13c	15c to 17c
Sugar	$9.88 to 10.33	$11.00 to 11.25
Barley flour	6c to 6½c	7c to 7½c
Corn flour	5½c to 6c	6½c to 7c
Corn meal	4½c to 5c	5¼c to 6½c

OVERSEAS CASUALTIES

(By The Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.—The casualty list received today from General Pershing contains the following Illinoians:

Killed in Action
Private—
Edward F. Ellis, E. St. Louis.
Died of Wounds
Privates—
James Amella, Galesburg.
Harry L. Swagger, Flanagan.
Died of Disease
Private—
Milo V. Atan, Ipava.
Wounded Severely
Privates—
William Seibert, Danville.
Charles E. Bauer, Watseka.
Carl F. Bechtel, Eureka.
Perry Chammess, Odell.
Charles C. Giffhorn, Tremont.
Wounded Slightly
Lieutenants—
Henry T. Johnson, Orion.
Donald Campbell, Clinton.
Walter N. Marcus, Peoria.
George H. Miller, Secor.
Sergeants—
Wm. T. Kiefer, Astoria.
Delbert Sims, Willow Hill.
Corporals—
John Kiger, Monticello.
Benjamin B. Luck, Tallula.
Fred P. Myer, LaGrange.
Cecil F. Richardson, Champaign
Gregory Rippley, Grafton.
Jules DeGreve, Moline.
Herbert D. Ford, Martinsville.
Ole B. Hoem, Waukegan.
Charles A. White, Hillsboro.
Wagoner—
Charles Daniels, Belleville.
Privates—
Clarence L. Walters, Decatur.
Roy M. Sweeney, Westerville.
Carl E. Nelson, Woodhull.
Edgar Parrish, Garsville.
Theodore Hanke, Centralia.
Louis, Herrmann, Thayer.
Rudolph Hoegger, Odell.
Frank B. Bailey, Warrenville.
Eddie Coash, Martinton.
Roy Ellett, Armstrong.
Eugene C. Fisher, Urbana.
William Hartman, Tuscola.
Missing in Action
Privates:
Clark N. Maxey, Sandoval.
Byron J. Todd, Hinckley.
Lucius S. Weeden, Sycamore.
Emil Wenger, Stockton.
Leroy H. Wheeler, Deerfield.
Robert Williams, LaSalle.

GROCERS PAY

Potatoes, per bushel	$1.3
Onions, per bushel	1.50
Springs, per pound	25c
Butter, per pound,	60c
Eggs, fresh, per dozen	55c
Lard, per pound	22c
Hens, per pound	22c

COMMISSION MEN PAY

Stags	17c
Hens, per pound	19c
Cocks, per pound	12c
Springs, per pound	17c
Ducks, per pound	14c
Geese, per upond	12c
Guineas, each	25c
Turkeys, per pound	30c
Eggs, fresh, per dozen	50c
Beef hides, per pound	16c
Packing stock butter, per pound	38c

HAY AND GRAIN—RETAIL

Timothy hay, per bale	1.25
Alfalfa hay, per ton	25.00
Clover hay, per ton	23.00
Clover hay, per bale	1.10
Oats straw, per bale	.60
Oats, per bushel	.80
Bran, per cwt.	1.9
Cracked corn, per cwt.	3.5
Coarse meal, per cwt.	3.5
Middlings, per cwt.	2.0
Scratch feed, per cwt.	4.0
Corn, per bushel	1.8

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK MARKET
St. Louis, Dec. 28.—Hogs—Receipts 1,500; higher; light $16.50@$17.75; pigs $12.00 @ $16.00; mixed and butchers 17.5[illegible] @$18.00; good heavy $17.75@18.00; bulk $17.50@$17.85.
Cattle—Receipts 300; steady; native beef steers $11.50@$18.5[illegible] yearling steers and heifers $9.5[illegible] @$16.20; cows $7.50@$12.50; native calves $7.75@17.50.
Sheep—Receits none; steady; lambs $14.65@$15.00; ewes 8.00 @$9.00; canners and choppers $5.00@$9.00.

NEW YORK GRAIN MARKET
New York, Dec. 28.—Corn—Spot firm; No. 2 yellow $1.70½; No. 2 white $1.76½ cost and freight New York.
Oats—Spot steady; standard 78½c.

WITH THE COLORS

leaving the forest was slow and the weather and mud was hell. Passed thru many places which were once towns. The principal one of these was Arecourt where there was not a well left standing. Finally ended up at Epinoville where we were in support for about ten days. Left there for Genese, a place I will never forget for the Bosche shelled it intermittently continually. We then moved up through Remonville. First we went to La Duoy farm. I started out for that place at 4:30 p. m. with a detail of some 20 men (it is dark at 4:30 p. m. here.)

I had my troubles that night. I had very little information to go on. The country was strange, the roads were bad. Fritz was shelling them and I didn't know where the place was and neither did anyone else that I could find, and there were plenty of people to ask for the roads were jammed with artillery heavy and light, ammunition trains and all manner of things that go to make up an advancing army. If you don't know where you are going here, especially at night, you are out of luck for to light a light was at that time almost the same as being in No Man's Land without a gas mask or a gun.

After hiking for four hours I finally landed at La Luoy farm and it was some place. Our wireless apparatus came up at 3:30 the next morning and I put it up at that time and I might as well have been outside putting it up all night for we left our blankets with the apparatus and very nearthereof two days and I would go to sleep and wake up in two inchly froze to death. We remained es of water. The roof of the barn we were in would have made a good sieve.

From there we went thru Romagne, Batheville (on the Visne canal) to Remonville from there to Barricourt and from there to Tailly, where at the 11th hour of the 11th day of November hostilities ceased. It was a grand and glorious feeling.

It was hell of a war while it lasted but there are others who fared worse than I did.

I am now the "Top Kick" (top sergeant) of this outfit and I am afraid that it is as far as I shall get for the war ended just about 30 days too soon for me to go to school. I think I was scheduled to go on Dec. 15, but that school is discontinued and so that lets me out. I would like to have gone home with a commission for the happiness and pleasure it would have brought my mother and dad and sister.

I sent you a cablegram by a sergeant of this company who was going to the rear on a leave. I hope you received it o. k. I must stop and get to bed for its a big day tomorrow and for several days after, so love to you all and a happy Christmas and think of me there in spirit anyway for I will be thinking of you all at that time as I am at all times.

Fred.

Sergt. Frederick T. Bolton,
Co. A. 314th Fld. Sig. B. American E. F.

NORTONVILLE

Ed McNeeley and family and Henry Whitlock and family spent Christmas at Tom McNeeley's in Hartland.

Louis Sooy and family took Xmas dinner with relatives in Murrayville.

Clyde Oxley and wife were at Charles Lashmet's to spend the day Christmas.

Four new cases of flu were reported yesterday.

Dr. G. O. Webster was called to Chas. Story's yesterday. Mr. Story had an attack of heart trouble.

Mrs. Johnnie Anderson cut her two fingers badly with an axe Sunday.

Some of the soldier boys have arrived back home from Camp Taylor.

EFFORTS OF CORN TO RECOVER RAISES CORN

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Efforts of shorts to escape losses in nearby deliveries carried the corn market upgrade today, except March and May options which showed a slight setback. The close was firm, January $1.43 to $1.43⅛ and May $1.36⅝ to $1.36½ with the finish as a whole ½c off to 3⅝c advance compared with 24 hours before.

At first, all deliveries of corn barring only December had a downward slant owing to prediction that after New Year's a larger crop movement would take place. Subsequently, however, the fact became evident that the congestion in December contracts had affected the January delivery inasmuch as January shorts were experiencing difficulty in covering, altho the scarcity of sellers was of lesser degree than in the december option. A good bulge in prices for both months followed, and for February as well. Rallies took place also in March and May, but the upturne were insufficient to overcome entirely the effects of the earlier weakness.

Improvd domestic demand gave strength to oats. Besides the south was said to be out bidding Chicago at some points in Illinois.

Provisions were governed chiefly by the action of corn. Strength in the hog market appeared to have but little if any direct influence.

STOCK MARKET CLOSES STRONG

NEW YORK, Dec. 28.—Opening with a number of irregular changes in which losses predominated, today's brief but very active stock market suddenly reversed its course closing with a broad demonstration of strength.

Early weakness was caused by reactions of 1 to almost 3 points rails, coppers and a varied group of specialties, the break in shippings being attributed to overnight cables indicating further delay in the consummation of the long pending deal.

Bear pressure was directed also against Sinclair Oil, followed by a rebound in which this loss was more than retrieved.

It was not until an inquiry set in for high grade or investment rails that the market caught its upward stride. Trans-continentals rose 1½ to 2½ points, Southern Pacific leading; grangers were featured by Atchison and coolers by Reading and Norfolk & Western, the latter rising 3½ points. Steels, coppers, oils and utilities participated in the advance with tobaccos, food shares and a number of the better known specialties final quotations in general being at the day's highest levels. Sales amounted to 600,000 shares.

Liberty issues again featured the bond market about 80 per cent of the turnover representing those flotations, which ranged slightly over yesterday's final prices. Total sales (par value) aggregated $17,350,000.

[illegible] bonds were unchanged on call during the week.

INDIANAPOLIS LIVESTOCK
Indianapolis, Dec. 28.—Hogs—Receipts 5,500; steady; heavy $17.50@$17.60; light $17.65; pigs $15.50 [illegible]
Cattle—Receipts 3,000; steady.
Sheep—Receipts 100; steady.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET
Chicago, Dec. 28—U. S. Bureau o Markets—Hogs—Receipts 18,000; market active; strong to 10c higer than yesterday's general trade; bulk of sales $17.45@$17.85; butchers $17.60@$17.90; light $16.85@$17.90; packing $16.80@$17.65; throwouts 15.60@$16.75; pigs, good to choice $14.25@$15.25.
Cattle—Receipts 1,000; compared with a week ago; beef steers and butcher stock mostly 75c to $1.25 higher; bnulls and canners 50c to 75c higher; veal calves and best feeders 50c higher; common stockers steady.
Sheep—Receipts 2,000; compared with a week ago, killing lambs $85c to $1.10 higher; wethers and yearlings $1.00 to $1.25 higher; ewes 50c to 75c higher.

KANSAS CITY LIVESTOCK
Kansas City, Dec. 28.—Hogs—Receipts 2,300; steady; bulk $17.10@$17.50; heavy $17.00@$17.60; packers and butchers $17.40; pigs $9.00@$13.00.
Cattle—Receipts 200; steady; prime fed steers $18.00@$20.00; cows $7.00@$14.00; heifers 8.00@$14.50; calves $7.00@$13.50.
Sheep—Receipts 200; strong; lambs $12.00@$15.00; yearlings $1.00@$12.00; wethers 9.50@$11.00; ewes $8.00@$9.25.

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CHURCH SERVICES

Grace Methodist Episcopal church, F. B. Madden, minister—No Sunday school. Morning service 10:45 a. m. Sermon theme: "The Motion of a Great Life." Miss Myra Kirkpatrick will sing: "Cantique de Noel" by Adam. Evening worship 7:30 p. m. Sermon theme "The Spirit in Which the Christian Nations Should Mete Out Justice to the Conquered German Criminals." The quartett will sing "Showers of Blessings" by Warren. Professor Hopkins will sing "Fear Ye Not, O Israel" by Dudly Buck. A cordial invitation and welcome for all.

First Church of Christ, Scientist—Regular services are held in the church, 523 West State street Sunday at 11 a. m. Subject, "Christian Science". Sunday school at 9:30. Testimonial meeting Wednesday at 8 p. m. The reading room is located in the church building and is open each week from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. The public is cordially invited to attend the services and to visit the reading room.

Baptist Chapel—No Sunday school. Public worship 3 p. m. William Boston will speak.

First Baptist church, A. A. Todd, pastor—No Bible school. Morning preaching hour 10:45. Pastor's theme: "The Holy Spirit and Christian Service." B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Topic "Happy New Year. Some Resolutions." Phillipians 3, 12:16. Leader, Miss Maude Nesmith. Special patriotic service 7:30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all returned soldiers and all the S. A. T. C., men to attend the services.

Trinity Episcopal Church—Sunday after Christmas. Early services 7.30. Morning prayer and sermon 10:45. J. F. Langton, Rector.

Salem Evangelical Lutheran church. East College street—Rev. J. G. Kuppler, pastor. Sunday after Christmas. Public worship in English at 10:30 a. m. Sermon by student Werner of Springfield. All are cordially invited. There will be no Sunday school. The Luther Walter Circle will meet Thursday evening at the school Thursday afternoon the Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Hoffmann, 720 East State street.

Central Christian church, M. L. Pontius, minister.—There will be only two services, the morning and evening church service. No Bible school or Christian Endeovor services. Morning worship at 10:45 o'clock. Theme of the sermon "The Changless Christ and a Changing World." At the evening service at 7:30 p. m. the subject of the sermon will be "More Than Conqueror." The Sexette choir will sing at both services under Mrs. Wilson's direction. A cordial invitation is extended to the public.

Westminster church, Edward B. Laudis, pastor—There will be no Sunday school. Morning worship at 10:45. The pastor will speak on the subject, "The Nation and the Church." In the evening at 7:30 the Rev. A. M. Cunningham, for many years a missionary to China, will speak on: "The Open Door in China." The mid-week prayer meeting will be held on Wednesday evening at 7:30. A cordial welcome is extended to all for all services.

Northminster church, J. H. Morphis, minister. — Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Divine worship at 10:45. Subject "Triumphant Christianity Leading to a League of Nations and a New Era." At 7.30 p. m. "A New Year Study." Strangers welcome. Good music and a glad hand for all.

McCabe M. E. Church, M. L. Mackay, pastor. Services all day. At 11 a. m. the pastor will preach from the theme, "Reuben the Impulsive." At 3 p. m. All members are requested to attend the quarterly meeting at Bethel. The subject of the evening theme will be, "Waiting on the Lord." Good singing and a warm welcome to all services.

Bethel A. M. E. church, J. H. Fisher, pastor—10:45 a. m. Preaching by the Rev. G. A. Bren,. At 3 p. m. Rev. M. L. Mackay, pastor of McCabe M. E. church will preach. 7:30 p. m. Rev. Bren will occupy the pulpit. Sunday school at 2 p. m. Rev. J. W. Kirk, supt.

Second Baptist church, Pastor, H. H. DeWitt—Sunday services 11 a. m. Covenant meeting and The Lord's Supper 7:45 p. m. Preaching by the pastor. 2.30 p. m. Bible school "This being the last meeting of the children in Bible study in this year. The officers and teachers are very anxious to extend to each pupil a substantial happy New Year.

Centenary church, W. R. Leslie, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., Albert C. Metcalf, superintendent. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. by Dr. E. L. Pletcher. Evening service at 7:30 o'clock. Preaching by Rec. J. O. Kirkpatrick.

Congregational church, W. Ernest Collins, minister. The teachers in the Sunday school will gather for conference at 9:30. At 10:45 morning worship, sermon subject, "Our Common Bond of Friendship." Mrs. Wilder will sing a solo. The young people will meet at 6:30, Mr. Collins will lead the meeting. Our evening service will begin with a song service for 15 minutes, special music, address "Breaking New Trails." You'll like it at the Congregational church. The collection will be for home missions.

State Street Presbyterian church will have the usual services this morning, Dec. 29. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching services at 10:45 a. m. and in the evening at 7.30, and Lieut. W. H. Marbach will be in the city and fill the pulpit at both services.

KILLED A FOX.

One would almost suppose that so old a county as Morgan and so generally settled would not have predatory "varmints" such as foxes and wolves, but there are some of them yet about. A short time since Walter Casson living southwest of Lynnville, was hunting with a shotgun when he saw a fox not very far away. He fired at the creature which turned completely over when the load hit it but the shot were too small to kill and the creature gathered itself up and ran more than two miles. Frank Worrell's dog was out tho, and taking after the creature caught up with it and finished it.

Mr. Casson says there are a few foxes yet about the creek bottom and they know of one small wolf in that region also. He says the animals don't do very much harm as there are few of them and the stock is pretty well watched. Occasionally a chicken will venture too far from home and be taken in and once in a while a small lamb falls a prey but these cases are rare.

MAVERICKS

It will soon be time for the festive candidate.

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The news that George Creel got sick going across the channel made us feel awful bad.

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Not many people will have to swear off the coming year. The high cost of liquor has forced most of them to quit.

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City officials thruout the state will find they have a big job on their hands when they try to have the utility law repealed and stop the fat salaries being drawn by the members of the utility commission and a large force of lesser lights.

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If President Wilson keeps on receiving degrees while he is abroad it will be necessary to get an extra steamship to bring them back to this country.

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In the meantime we have not received news of much progress in the peace conference.

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Count Bernstorff says that Germany will support Wilson. However, not many people in the United States will put much faith in anything Bernstorff says.

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Waiters in Chicago will receive $12 for their services on New Years' eve. If it keeps up men will be quitting the banking and railroad game and seeking positions as waiters.

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In our contemporary Friday evening was an item about the thief stealing three gallons of oysters from William Coverly. In another column was an item about S. W. Nichols, editor in chief of the Journal, entertaining the Journal force at a big oyster supper. One of our subscribers read the two items and called up the office to see if they had any connection. He was told that the item referring to the oyster supper was thirty years ago which relieved his mind considerably.

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We do not intend to make any resolutions this year. Then we won't have to break anv.

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G. W. D.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of thanking the many friends who so kindly assisted during the illness and after the death of our Brother, William D. Cleary and for the floral offerings.

John Cleary,
Mrs. Peter Carroll and Family,
Mrs. Thomas Barber and Family.

OBITUARY

Miss S. J. Roach was born January 1, 1843 in Granger county, Tenn., and died near Little Indian, Ill., on Dec. 24, 1918. In 1866 she was married to W. G. Cooper. He preceded her in death on January 11, 1887. To this union were born eight children. Mrs. N. E. Davis of Ashton, Kans.; Mrs. M. L. Cox, who died on January 7, 1911; D. M. Cooper of Lynnville, Ill.; J. J. Cooper of Athensville, Ill.; Mrs. I. N. Beckum of Little Indian, Ill.; T. G. Cooper of North Dakota; Mrs. A. P. Hagen, Canton, Ill., and Mrs. O. J. Hill of Tennessee.

Mrs Cooper united with the Baptist church in early life and died in the faith which sustained her during her earthly sojourn.

Funeral was held at the home of Charles Beckum near Literberry Friday morning and burial was made in Arcadia cemetery.

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Ben Becker is in the city on a few days furlough from Camp Grant, visiting at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Becker, on South Main street, and other relatives.

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STATE STREET CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m., and 7:30 p. m. by the Rev. Mr. Marbach, of Chicago, a minister who has just returned from a number of months service in army cantonments.

I suffered unbearable pains in my stomach for a long time. Took treatment of several physicians and was advised that an operation was necessary, which I had done; but instead of relief, I got worse, so that I was unable to work and could not eat or exercise without suffering intensely. I consulted Dr. C. W. Carson the Chicago Specialist, and took a course of his treatment and was cured. For the last two years have worked every day and have almost forgotten that I ever had any trouble.
(Signed)
William Hill,
Virginia, Illinois.

WILL RETURN HOME

Mrs. J. F. Tholen has received word that her brother Sergeant John Bonds will return from London, England, this evening. He enlisted Oct. 9, 1917, and has been overseas since Dec. 1917,

Lieut. Carl Epling and sister of Virginia, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hall on West State street. Mr. Epling, who is home on a short furlough, is stationed at Camp Lee, Va.

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$45 Plush Coats, now $22.50	$30 Cloth Coats, now $14.95
$40 Plush Coats, now $19.75	$25 Cloth Coats, now $12.95
$35 Plush Coats, now $17.50	$20 Cloth Coats, now $ 9.95
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Children's Dresses
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